Today's Weather. Fair.

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THE WEATHER

Fair.

Fair today and fair and warmer Saturday are the weather predictions for Pittsburgh and vicinity furnished by the official observer at Washington. The maximum temperature in Pittsburgh yesterday was 84 and the minimum 68 degrees. The sun rose cloudy at 5:04 and set cloudy at 7:47. The daily report furnished by the local weather office follows:

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	29.93	71	90	W.	Pt. Cldy.
8 p. m.	29.93	76	58	N.	Pt. Cldy.

Comparative temperature and precipitation for July 20:

	1905	1904		1905	1904
Maximum	84	85	Mean	76	77
Minimum	68	69	Precipitation	0	.06
Nor. temp. 31 yrs.	78		Nor. precip. 31 yrs.	.16	
Excess for day	1		Dfcy. for day	.16	
Exc. since July 1	44		Dfcy. since July 1	1.18	
Dfcy. since Jan. 1	134		Dfcy. since Jan. 1	1.27	

Official Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, July 20.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Fair Friday and Saturday, warmer Saturday.

Ohio—Fair in north, showers and thunderstorms in south portion Friday; Saturday, fair and warmer; fresh north winds becoming variable.

West Virginia—Showers and thunderstorms Friday and Saturday.

Observations taken at 8 p. m. at the various weather bureau stations.

Cincinnati	78	Cloudy	Kansas City	82	Clear
Indianapolis	82	Cloudy	Philadelphia	76	Cloudy
Chicago	68	PtCldy	New York	78	Clear
Washington	80	Clear	Baltimore	80	PtCldy
Columbus	78	Cloudy	Norfolk	82	Cloudy
Des Moines	80	Clear	Jacksonville	90	Clear
Davenport	80	PtCldy	Atlanta	82	PtCldy
Parkersburg	76	Cloudy	New Orleans	80	Clear
St. Louis	76	Cloudy	Galveston	82	PtCldy
Cleveland	76	Cloudy	St. Paul	76	Clear
Vicksburg	84	Clear	Helena	86	Clear
Omaha	86	Clear	Yellowstone	78	PtCldy
Louisville	76	Cloudy	Denver	78	PtCldy
Nashville	84	Clear	Salt Lake	88	Clear
Little Rock	76	Cloudy			

CHINA TAKES FIRM STAND

Declares She Will Recognize No Arrangement Concerning Manchuria.

SENDS A CURT NOTE

Notifies Washington Her Province Must Be Unconditionally Restored to Her.

BELIEVES IN JAPAN'S PROMISE

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, July 20.—China's official notification to the powers that she will not recognize any arrangement regarding Manchuria, has reached Washington and will be forthwith forwarded to the president at Oyster Bay. Before addressing this note to the neutral powers China sent to St. Petersburg and Tokyo a note containing this notification.

The Chinese note is briefly worded and calls for no reply. Its text disposes of the unofficial report reaching Washington recently from Europe, which found credence in official circles, that China had requested she be allowed to participate in the conference. China has not yet taken this step for several reasons. The Chinese government is anxious so far as possible that the belligerents be allowed to negotiate directly with each other, and is adverse to being forced into the negotiations.

China's motive in addressing to Russia and Japan such a notification as she has was to remind them that she had never acquiesced in the alienation of the province of Manchuria from Chinese sovereignty, and that she expected, as the first result of the war, the full restoration of that province to Chinese control. That this position might receive the continued support of the neutral powers, copies of the note were forwarded to the other powers for representation by Chinese representatives.

Asks Advice of Ministers.

Before sending this note, the Chinese government addressed to its representatives abroad, a long list of questions about Manchuria, asking their opinions regarding the steps which the government should take to insure its restoration to Chinese control. On one point these replies were singularly in accord—that this restoration should be made unconditionally. It was also suggested in some of the replies that China immediately declare open to the world's trade several additional ports in Manchuria for a limited number of years, and provided in the meantime that, after the Chinese legal code has been revised and regular Chinese courts have been firmly established, the powers be asked to waive extra territorial rights in Manchuria in favor of the Chinese government. If this were done, it was recommended the remainder of Manchuria should be declared open to foreign commerce. This is only one of many suggestions affecting trade in Manchuria, now under consideration in Pekin.

China's insistence that she be consulted in any arrangements concerning Manchuria will, if respected by the belligerents, it is believed, necessitate an indirect participation in the negotiations by China. It is learned on the highest authority that the Chinese government is inclined to trust Japan to execute her many pledges regarding Manchuria and unofficially has already given assurances to the Japanese of her confidence in their sincerity in this matter.

Russia Will Block Way.

On the other hand Russia, it is said, will come to the conference ready to forfeit her sphere of influence in Manchuria only on condition that China give to Japan no privileges that are not accorded to all the powers. Therein lies China's best assurance that little headway can be made regarding Manchuria without communication with Pekin. There are, however, elements at Pekin which are uneasy regarding the result of the Washington conference and the Pekin government has reiterated that its apparent inactivity at the present moment is only tentative.

Indications that Russia and Japan were coming to an agreement about Manchuria which did not provide for a real and effective Chinese administration of the province, would immediately arouse the Pekin government to action. Such action, it can be stated, will probably take the form of a direct appeal to the Washington government for assistance in defending the Hay doctrine of the preservation of the territorial and administrative entity of China, to which all the powers under the leadership of the late secretary of state were committed since the present war began.

Thus far no instructions have reached the Chinese legation, which in the absence of the minister is in the hands of Mr. Yung Kwai, regarding the sending of any representative to Portsmouth. The minister, Sir Chentung Lung Cheng, is spending the summer at Amherst, Mass., and expects to remain there until September. Like the other diplomats at Washington, and in accordance with the expressed wish of the president, Sir Liang, it is understood, will not go to Portsmouth at all unless ordered there by his government.

China's insistence that Manchuria be returned to her sovereignty has the full sympathy of the Washington government, though the latter does not share in any anxiety on this point. On the preliminary negotiations here it was more than once made plain to the belligerents that whatever the result of their negotiations it was expected that China would be left intact.

Young Girl Kills Her Stepfather.

HINTON, W. VA., July 20.—(Special.)—B. D. Gibson, a Chesapeake & Ohio fireman, was shot and killed tonight by his 14-year-old stepdaughter, Carrie Dooley, whom he locked up in a room with him. She claims he abused her and told her if she left the room he would shoot her. While he slept she slipped his gun from him, but he awoke, and she shot in self-defense, blowing off the entire top of his head. The coroner exonerated the girl.

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COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF LOOKS IN ON STATE'S SOLDIERS

(1) Gov. Pennypacker reviewing the troops.
(2) Col. Samuel Moody inspecting camp plans with other officers.
(3) Soldier getting ready for governor's visit.
(4) Visitors watching review at Camp Jones.

TRAMPLED IN VIEW OF THE GOVERNOR

George J. Hare, Famous War Photographer, Run Down by Over Zealous Staff Officer.

YOUNG MAN SERIOUSLY HURT

Special Telegram From JOHN P. COWAN, Staff Correspondent.

ERIE, PA., July 20.—George J. Hare, Jr., staff photographer for Collier's Weekly, was trampled by a horse ridden by a non-commissioned staff officer of the Second brigade, during Gov. Pennypacker's review this afternoon. The young man, who a few weeks ago returned from the front in the Russo-Japanese war, lay sprawled in the dust before the governor's carriage until Maj. C. C. Wiley, surgeon of the Eighteenth regiment, rode the whole length of the parade ground and ordered the victim to be placed in an ambulance. Mr. Hare is suffering a fractured rib where the horse plunged its sharp hoof upon his prostrate body.

The deplorable feature of the accident is that it might have been averted. Eye witnesses state that the horseman who inflicted the injuries upon the plucky newspaper man was instructed to order him from the field. Mr. Hare had stepped out into the parade ground to take a picture of the troops passing in review before the governor. Camera "fiends" were numerous upon the grounds and some officer, who presumably wanted to show his authority, made a remark that the man who was skirting the field should be driven off. Suddenly a non-commissioned staff officer dashed out at a full gallop directly toward the photographer. Mr. Hare attempted to get out of the way. He was too late and was knocked down and trampled under the horse's hoofs. In falling the charger planted his iron shoe directly upon young Hare's back.

Left Where He Fell.

The injured man staggered to his feet and picked up his broken camera, but fainted a moment afterward and lay outstretched in the dust. All this happened within 50 yards of the reviewing stand. No assistance was sent until Maj. Wiley rode up and found how seriously Mr. Hare was injured. He ordered the ambulance of the Sixteenth regiment and he was carried from the field, and upon the advice of the injured man's friends was placed under the care of Lieut. H. B. Burns, surgeon of Battery B.

Lieut. Burns placed the patient upon a cot in his own tent, and he was given the most tender care. Lieut. C. C. Williams of the battery, who is also a physician, was called in consultation and on examination it proved the young man had suffered a fractured rib and was seriously hurt. Col. Samuel Moody was the first staff officer to make inquiry as to Mr. Hare's condition, and he brought the matter before Gen. Wiley. The brigade ambulance was ordered out and Lieut. C. A. Foster, assistant surgeon of the Fourteenth regiment, remained with him until he was taken to his hotel.

Marched in Two Wars.

Mr. Hare, while less than 25 years of age, is well known for his service as a war correspondent and photographer, and his pictures frequently adorned the pages of The Gazette. Despite his tender years he went to the front during the Spanish war, and when the Japanese advanced upon Korea, he was among the first newspaper photographer in the field. He accompanied Gen. Kuroki's army into Seoul to the Yalu and into the mountains of Manchuria.

On his return home he went to Buffalo and while there last week induced Pittsburgh lads, who are members of the National Guard, to attend the Erie encampment. He came to Erie yesterday and in a short time became a favorite

ZEMSTVO'S STORMY TALK SMOKES OUT ONE PRINCE

Thinks It Is Revolutionary, but Another Nobleman Declares It Is the Bald Truth.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

MOSCOW, July 20.—The zemstvo congress reassembled today without interference on the part of the authorities and commenced a discussion of the proposed constitution. The meeting was again held at the residence of Prince Dolgorukoff.

The first resolution proposed protested against the violation of private rights and the general arbitrariness of the authorities. A delegate from Tver, Central Russia, maintained that the resolution was not strong enough, and it was finally referred to a committee to be redrafted. Later an amended resolution was presented and passed.

The scheme for a constitution, as elaborated by a committee of the congress, was next discussed and its details criticized by the delegates. The chief points raised were the omission of adequate proportionate representation and the non-recognition of female suffrage.

M. Petrunkevitch, president of the Moscow Agricultural society, declared that all hope regarding the government's scheme, which had hitherto been nourished, had proved vain. Everything was going on in the same old way and it was difficult to say whether the zemstvoists really intended to work in the national interest. It was obvious, he said, that the bar separating the emperor and the people was too strong and that they could not count on reforms from above. They had appealed to the emperor, and they should now appeal to the people.

Prince Rostkovski said the speech of M. Petrunkevitch was a direct incitement to revolution, and left the hall.

Prince Dolgorukoff repudiated Prince Rostkovski's construction of M. Petrunkevitch's speech, which, he said, only echoed what had been set forth in the memorandum presented by the marshals of the nobility to the emperor.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 21.—The government has made good its threat, and has suspended the Slovo for a month for open defiance this morning of the strict order prohibiting publication of the proceedings of the zemstvo congress at Moscow.

LYON AND TORRANCE TALK TO LEADERS ON POSITION

Successor to Late Secretary of the Commonwealth Fuller Under Discussion.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, July 20.—Former Lieut. Gov. Walter Lyon and Francis J. Torrance of Allegheny were in the city today in conference with United States Senators Knox and Penrose. It was reported that they were here to discuss the selection of a secretary of the commonwealth to succeed the late Frank M. Fuller.

More or less significance is attached to the conference owing to the mention of Mr. Torrance for the office of secretary of the commonwealth. Following his talks with Senators Knox and Penrose Mr. Torrance was asked whether the appointment had been tendered him. He replied:

"It is a matter I prefer not to discuss. Mr. Lyon and I met Senator Knox and later we had a talk with Senator Penrose. We did talk some politics, but only in a general way."

It was learned that Mr. Lyon and Mr. Torrance met Senator Knox at the Bellevue-Stratford and were in conference with him for the greater part of an hour. Late in the afternoon they called on Senator Penrose in the latter's offices in the Arcade building. Senator Knox was not present at this conference.

Senator Penrose will go to Harrisburg on Monday to confer with Gov. Pennypacker regarding the appointment.

GETS ECUADOR CONTRACT.

Steel Corporation Will Furnish 125,000 Feet of Pipe for Water Works System in Guayaquil.

NEW YORK, July 20.—(Special.)—The United States Steel Corporation, through its National Tube Company branch, has secured the contract for the pipe to be utilized in the construction of the high pressure water system at Guayaquil, the principal city and seaport of Ecuador, South America. So far about 125,000 feet of pipe, measuring eight, twelve and sixteen inches in diameter, has been contracted for. The contract was placed through the New York export house of W. R. Grace & Co.

BALFOUR IS REFUSED VOTE OF CONFIDENCE BY HOUSE

British Ministry Defeated, but Will Not Resign. Adjournment Takes Place in Uproar—Bitter Speeches Made on Both Sides.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

LONDON, July 20.—The government was defeated in the house of commons tonight by a majority of three on the motion to reduce the membership of the Irish land commission.

On the announcement of the vote a scene of the greatest excitement was produced by the Liberals and Irish members yelling "Resign." The incident is considered hardly of sufficient importance to justify the government in resigning, but when asked by Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, the leader of the opposition, what course he intended to pursue, Premier Balfour declined to make a statement.

John Redmond, leader of the Irish party, said the premier had repeatedly declared that he would resign if defeated and that if he disregarded this vote of want of confidence he would be acting against all precedents. Was he going to swallow this humiliation as he swallowed every other humiliation during the last few years, the premier asked Mr. Redmond.

Mr. Balfour replied very coolly and said Mr. Redmond had greatly agitated himself over a matter which could be settled in due time. He was, he said, not conscious of any humiliation. There would be ample opportunity within a few hours of proving whether the government still enjoyed the confidence of the majority of the house.

The premier said he would consult his colleagues as to whether the question would again be submitted to a vote and would make a statement Monday. After some wrangling the house adjourned until tomorrow.

CHINESE BOYCOTT TO BEGIN TODAY

Will Buy No More American Goods and Will Demand More Wages.

AGAINST THE LABOR UNIONS

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, July 20.—The department of state has received a report from Samuel L. Gracey, American Consul at Fuchau, China, on the meeting held by Chinese merchants at Shanghai, on May 5, to discuss the American exclusion laws and the Chinese boycott of American goods.

The society most active in this question was the Jen Chieu (Man Mirror) Literary Society of Shanghai. More than 200 people attended and adopted resolutions declaring that they would stop consuming or ordering American goods, that the natives who worked for American merchants or were engaged in the transportation of American goods would ask for higher wages; that the privileges given to the "Hohsing Company" for building a railway should be withdrawn and that any Chinese merchant found to deal secretly in American goods, not only would be fined, but socially boycotted.

A thorough investigation of the sale of American goods, especially of American kerosene oil and American clothes, was called for, and the support of impartial American newspapers and missionaries in the efforts to remove the exclusion laws are urged. The printed proceedings of the meeting have been spread widely through all classes of Chinese society.

SHANGHAI, July 20.—About fifteen hundred people, including the heads of all the principal guilds and delegates from many provinces, attended a Chinese mass meeting yesterday which arranged to begin the boycott of American goods tomorrow. It was distinctly announced that the action taken was not against the American government, whose constant kindness was fully recognized, but it was pointed out that unless the Chinese aboured themselves to be in earnest they would produce no effect on the California labor unions. There is still much doubt as to whether the boycott will really be maintained.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 20.—John D. Wilkie, chief of the United States secret service, who arrived today from the Orient, says the Chinese boycott of American goods is not so serious a matter as has been reported. He investigated the boycott in Shanghai and in Hongkong and reached the conclusion that it would not greatly affect American trade.

PITTSBURGH MAN ARRESTED.

Davis Stuart Scott, Held in St. Louis on Charge of Forgery, Says Mistake Has Been Made.

ST. LOUIS, July 20.—(Special.)—Davis Stuart Scott, 40 years old, well-dressed and well-appearing, was arrested here tonight on the request of the police of Pittsburgh, stating that he is wanted on charges of forgery and obtaining money under false pretenses.

Scott has agreed to go back to Pittsburgh without requisition papers. He declares that he has no idea who could have preferred such charges against him or for what. He states that there has probably been a mistake, and that he suspects there is a charge against him of deserting his wife and 12-year-old daughter, intimating that some domestic trouble caused him to leave home. He declares he is a manufacturer of patent washtubs in Pittsburgh, and owns two valuable pieces of property there.

ALL CONCERNS TO BE PROBED

New York Legislature Will Investigate Life Insurance in State.

NAMES COMMITTEE

Action Quickly Follows a Sensational Message Sent to Senate by Gov. Higgins.

EQUITABLE LOAN MISSING

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau, Herald Building, Herald Square, NEW YORK, July 20.

Gov. Higgins' sudden change of heart in calling for an investigation by the legislature of all insurance companies in the state, and the failure of State Bank Examiner Judson to find the $100,000 Equitable loan, supposed to have been in the vaults of the Mercantile Trust company were the features today of the Equitable Life Assurance society situation.

The governor, without a moment's warning, startled the senate by sending in a message, suggesting that, despite the cause for the convening of the extra session, by reason of the position that the developments in the Equitable case proved the necessity for action. Therefore he asked that the legislature, if it deemed proper, should appoint a joint committee, the duty of which shall be to make a thorough investigation of all insurance companies in the state and report next January, with recommendations for new laws and a complete account of the findings.

This sort of an inquiry, the governor declared, was absolutely necessary in order to restore public confidence in life insurance companies, compelling them to conduct their business in a safe, open and honest manner.

Finds No Trace of Loan.

Mr. Judson's formal statement today was as follows:

"I have now examined all of the assets of the Mercantile Trust company and not only find no trace of a shortage for a loan of $60,000 to the Equitable Life Assurance society or to James W. Alexander or Thomas D. Jordan as trustees, but I find no record of any such loan to any person connected with the Equitable."

Mr. Judson explained that though he was absolutely certain the loan did not at the present moment appear on the books of the Mercantile Trust company there was nothing in his examination to show whether it existed a few weeks ago and had since been taken up. He was quite certain today the loan does not exist, but unless he receives special orders to pursue his examination to a point not customary in the semi-annual examinations of trust companies he cannot speak of what business has been undertaken and closed up by the company.

Paul Morton, chairman of the board of directors of the Equitable, said, regarding the announcement:

"I know nothing about the $60,000 loan. I have been unable to find any liability of the Equitable society to the Mercantile Trust Company. Alexander and Jordan may have notes all over town for all I know. All that I have to say is that Mr. Jordan was not relieved of his duties for not giving information about the $60,000 loan, but because he would not give information about another matter."

Morton on Higgins' Message.

Regarding Governor Higgins' message to the legislature, Mr. Morton said:

"I do not object at all to an official investigation of the life insurance companies of the state. The more complete and searching the legislative investigation is the better it will suit me, and the better it will be for the Equitable. We hope that the proposed investigation of all New York insurance companies will be as exhaustive as I propose to make the investigation of the affairs of the Equitable, which began over a month ago by chartered accountants. No half-hearted investigation will restore the confidence of the public in the life insurance business.

"So far as the Equitable society is concerned, it is my intention that the policyholders, the trustees, the new directors and the chairman of the board shall know the exact condition of its affairs from top to bottom."

Thomas D. Jordan, the dismissed controller, did not visit his old office today. When Mr. Morton was asked, "When will Mr. Day go to work?" he replied, emphatically, "He is at work now." He has been in New York, it appears, for several days. Between now and September 1 Mr. Day will travel frequently between New York and Washington in the effort to keep in touch with his new duties, and at the same time endeavor to clear up such affairs as demand his attention at the capital.

D. Cady Herrick, it is reported, will accept the election tendered him as an Equitable director.

Committee Has Large Powers.

The legislative investigation of the life insurance business as carried on in this state both by New York state corporations and by those of other states doing business within this state will be made by a special joint committee with ample powers, of which the chairman will be Senator W. W. Armstrong of Rochester, Republican. The other senators on the committee will be William J. Tully of Cortlandt, Republican, and Daniel J. Sheehan of New York, Democrat.

Senators Armstrong and Tully are lawyers, Senator Sheehan is a real estate and insurance agent. The two Republicans are said to have been selected by Gov. Higgins and Senator Raines, Republican leader in the senate; Senator Sheehan by the Democratic senators. The five assembly members of the committee will be named by Speaker Nixon.

Chairman Armstrong said in Albany tonight that while the actual hearings by the committee would not begin for some time, the preliminary preparations, actu-

arial calculations and so on, necessary in preparation for the inquiry, would be set in motion as soon as possible, and the organization of the committee would take place as soon as the members had been appointed.

The institution of the committee followed hard upon a message of Gov. Higgins to the legislature, which came as a complete surprise. The message was received in the senate after the conclusion of the Hooker case and was not read in the assembly until late in the session. Its effect may be described as sensational. In his message Gov. Higgins said:

The unfortunate scandals recently made public by the internal dissensions in the Equitable Life Assurance society and by the comprehensive investigation of its affairs by the superintendent of insurance have not without just cause aroused a feeling of intense alarm in the breasts of the thousands of our citizens who have invested their money in policies of life insurance and of the thousands of non-residents who have been taught to respect the New York companies as safe and secure.

While the business of life insurance as at present conducted is subject to state supervision and regulation, for the purpose of guaranteeing the solvency and fulfillment of the contracts on the part of the companies, it is evident that evils and abuses may exist under our law; that earnings which should be credited to the policyholders may be diverted to other purposes; that expenses of operation may be extravagant and wasteful; that unwise investments may be legally made, and that trustees may deal indirectly with the trust funds for their personal advantage. That such a condition of affairs can exist reflects discredit upon the state.

Legislation is no panacea for the ills of the body politic that rise from a disordered sense. The multiplication of statutes does not diminish the spirit of lawlessness, but is rather a symptom of its growth. But it is apparent that our insurance law is in some particulars obsolescent and inadequate, and that the management of the funds of these great companies is not sufficiently safeguarded.

Points Out Needed Reforms.

The state owes a duty to policyholders and beneficiaries beyond that of comparing the assets with liabilities and permitting the companies to justify their existence by the exhibition of a satisfactory balance sheet and the prompt payment of losses. Investment must be restricted, salaries must be limited to amounts bearing a closer relation to the commercial value of services rendered; trustees must be held to a stricter accountability, and policyholders must be given a more effective share in the government of the companies.

It may well be that the harsh and arbitrary remedy of dissolution and receivership should be made not only a penalty for insolvency, but also a summary check upon a solvent company when it becomes irremediably the plaything of lawless greed. The state cannot permit the subjects of its supervision to exist as licensed prodigals of other people's money without becoming an accomplice to the offense.

We cannot judge of life insurance companies by the sins of one. We should not destroy the edifice to rid ourselves of the vermin that infest it, nor should we kill the patient to stop the progress of the disease. A revision of our insurance law is necessary, but it should be made with calmness, deliberation and intelligence, and after careful study and investigation.

Speaking of Superintendent Hendricks' investigation of the Equitable the governor says:

A Word for Hendricks.

Within the scope of his authority and the limits of his time, the superintendent has informed me that by reason of the statutory limitations upon his inquisitorial powers, and by reason of the magnitude of the task imposed upon him, he would welcome the aid of a legislative investigation committee. I have been of the opinion that, with his staff of experts and with the authority invested in him to conduct investigations at the expense of the companies examined, he was well qualified to collect all necessary evidence upon which to base new legislation, and that no other investigation outside the courts of justice was necessary or desirable pending the investigation now being conducted by him.

It is, however, of the highest importance that a revision of the insurance law should be enacted as promptly as is consistent with a thorough knowledge of the subject. It is proper and necessary that the legislature should determine for itself how the information upon which to base such a revision may be obtained. If in its judgment an investigation conducted by its own members is calculated to produce the most satisfactory results, such an investigation cannot be too speedily begun.

In order that you may be free to consider and act upon the subject at this session, I, therefore, pursuant to the constitution, do hereby recommend for your consideration the question of the appointment of a joint committee of the senate and assembly, with the usual powers of such committees, to investigate, after your adjournment, the operations of life insurance companies doing business in the state, for the purpose of preparing and recommending to the next regular session of the legislature such proposed legislation as may be adequate and proper to restore public confidence and compel life insurance companies to conduct a safe, honest and open business for the benefit of their policyholders.

Comments on the Message.

Concerning his message to the legislature, Gov. Higgins said:

I have not recommended, nor do I now recommend, a legislative investigation of life insurance companies. I have recommended to the legislature that it take the subject under consideration, so that it may dispose of it as its wisdom may dictate. My own position in the matter remains unchanged. I have never said that I would prevent a legislative investigation by refusing to permit the legislature to consider the matter, as I have the power to do at an extraordinary session, nor has it been my intention at any time to assume such a responsibility.

If a governmental examination is to be had it is better that it begin at once, and not be delayed until the regular session six months hence. I have at no time closed my eyes to the gravity of the life insurance scandals, nor have I for one moment turned my back on the policyholders and their beneficiaries. Ill-considered basis, provoked by angry and impatient clamor, would serve no useful end.

Senator Armstrong introduced the resolution providing for the appointment of a joint committee to investigate and examine into the business and affairs of life insurance companies doing business in New York. It has reference to investments, relations to subsidiary corporations, the government and control, contractual relations to their policyholders, cost of the companies, expenses and other phases of the life insurance business. The committee to draft and report to the next legislature such revision of laws, regulating and relating to life insurance in this state as the committee may deem proper. This was adopted by both houses with an appropriation of $50,000.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived, July 20.

New York—Carpathia, Liverpool; Baltic, Liverpool.
Havre—La Savoie, New York.
Liverpool—Majestic, New York via Queenstown.
Naples—Prinzess Irene, New York, and proceeded for Genoa.

Sailed, July 20.

New York—Deutschland, Plymouth; La Bretagne, Havre; Numidian, Glasgow.
Liverpool—Canada, Montreal; Victorian, Montreal.
Queenstown—Westernland, Philadelphia; Teutonic, New York.

Passed, July 20.

Lizard—Bordeaux, New York for Havre.
Gibraltar—Nord America, Genoa and Naples for New York.
Brow Head—Georgic, New York for Liverpool; Sylvania, Boston for Queenstown.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

LUNA PARK—Crafg street, near Grant boulevard; open from 10 a. m. to midnight. This week, Government Indian band, Lockhart's trained elephants, Sturart and Laverdo in high-wire bicycle act, and Aga and Dida in illusions.

KENNYWOOD PARK—Concerts by Rocerete's band, afternoon and evening; Dare-Devil Nelson, in balloon ascensions, and Valdis sisters.

SOUTHERN PARK—Hanley and Valesca, Apdan and Hartley, Al. H. Burton, the Brownings and others; afternoon and evening.

OAKWOOD—Crimmins and Gore in "A Warm Match."

DIED.

SCHLOTTER—On Thursday, July 20, 1905, at 9 p. m., CHARLES C. SCHLOTTER, in his 49th year, husband of Elizabeth Schlotter, nee Sandvos.

Funeral from his late residence, 167 McClure avenue, Allegheny, on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Allegheny Police Beneficial association, Allegheny Council No. 112, Jr. O. U. A. M., Second Ladies' Aid society and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private.

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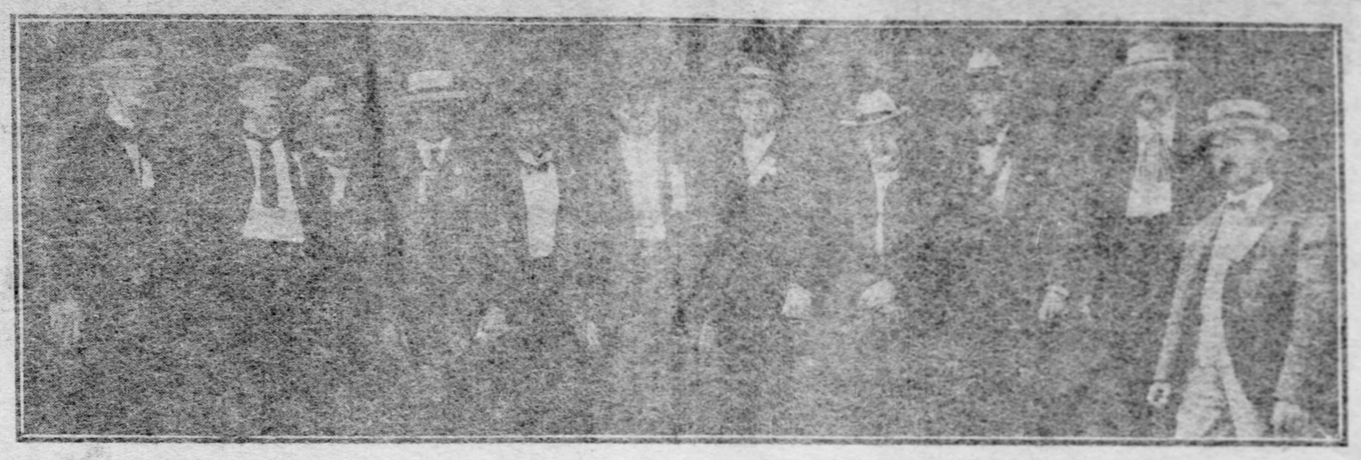
HUSTLERS OF THE OAKLAND BOARD OF TRADE



The executive committeemen, reading from left to right, are: W. G. Negley, Joseph Painter, W. H. Wood, R. J. Dougherty, W. J. Moore, A. C. Shaw, D. A. Jones, William Zeiher, Robert Thompson, W. J. Viers and Charles H. Chance.

BOARD OF TRADE HAS BIG OUTING

Annual Picnic of Oakland Business Men Draws Thousands to Luna Park.

No business was done in the Oakland district yesterday after 2 o'clock in the afternoon. All the stores and shops were closed and the inhabitants locked their doors and journeyed to Luna park. It was the third annual outing of the Oakland board of trade, and a success in every respect.

The board of trade is a young organization, but its members have displayed energetic qualities in previous events of the kind, and they overlooked nothing on this occasion to attract thousands to their picnic.

There are 300 members in the board and these with their families went to the park early in the afternoon. As evening advanced the crowds increased until at nightfall it was estimated fully 15,000 people were in the big pleasure resort. Hundreds of families took baskets with them and ate supper in the grove under the trees.

For the children it was a jubilee day and the little ones were vastly in the majority. From one end of the park to the other they romped and spent the money they had saved for weeks in anticipation of the occasion. The free attractions were put on earlier than usual, so that all would have time to arrange their family gatherings for supper.

The trained elephants were the favorites with the children and the big animals seemed to enter into the spirit of the thing and performed their stunts as though they were getting as much fun out of it as the thousands of little ones who gathered about the platform. The aquarium was free and the many species of fish proved an interesting thing.

The dancing pavilion was in charge of the executive committee of the board of trade and was very popular, especially during the evening. One of the features of the affair was a cake-walk in which scores participated on the broad floor, and a gigantic cake was given to the winner. There was a competition in dancing, too, in which many couples took part. The judges awarded a $5 gold piece to the pair that were adjudged the finest terpsichoreans. Band concerts during the afternoon and evening pleased thousands and all the attractions were well patronized. The proceeds of the day will go into the building fund of the board of trade.

The executive committeemen having charge of the outing were: W. J. Moore, chairman; Robert Thompson, Joseph Painter, W. H. Wood, R. J. Dougherty, A. C. Shaw, Charles H. Chance, William Zeiher, W. G. Negley, D. A. Jones and W. J. Viers.

DEATH TAKES PARENTS OF FOUR LITTLE ONES

Allegheny Woman Dies of a Broken Heart Following Her Husband's Suicide.

Twice within the past six weeks death has visited the Reimenschneider home at Third and Middle streets, Allegheny.

Mrs. Katherine Reimenschneider died yesterday morning at 3 o'clock, after a lingering illness. Her death is attributed to a broken heart. Six weeks ago yesterday her husband, William, died at the Allegheny General hospital, where he had been for three weeks. His death resulted from a bullet wound in his head inflicted by himself with suicidal intent. Apparently there was no cause for the act. Reimenschneider returned from church, and going to his room, fired a 32-caliber bullet into his brain. For some days he lingered between life and death at the hospital, but regained enough strength to warrant an operation. The hospital surgeons probed and located the ball. It was removed, but the man seemingly had no wish to recover and sank slowly until his death.

The day he died his wife gave birth to a daughter. Since then she has wasted away, suffering from no particular illness. The tragic death of her husband seemed to prey upon her and is ascribed as the cause of her death. Four children are left orphans, but have been taken by the woman's relatives. Mrs. Reimenschneider was born in Allegheny 24 years ago and was the daughter of Leonard Schuppert, a well-known resident in the eastern end of the city.

Go in Auto to Atlantic.

McKeesport friends of Walter H. Childs have received word from him that he and members of the Oscar Conrad family have made the trip from that city to Atlantic City in an automobile. Mr. Childs states that the trip was without a mishap, except for puncturing tires and breaking one of the small pipes of the machine. The party will start on their return trip across the mountains on July 25.

BARON KOMURA IS HASTENING EAST

Japan's Plenipotentiary Declines the Lake Trip Planned for Him by Hill.

WILL GIVE NO INTERVIEWS

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

SEATTLE, WASH., July 20.—Baron Komura and his suite left Seattle tonight for New York city. They travel as the guests of President J. J. Hill of the Great Northern railroad, and will make all haste to their destination.

Mr. Hill's invitation to a tour of the great lakes was declined by Baron Komura on the plea that his instructions for haste were imperative. As a consequence, the Japanese party will go to St. Paul by the Great Northern railroad, then to Chicago over the Chicago, Burlington road, and from there to New York over the Pennsylvania lines.

The only hospitality accepted by Baron Komura during his few hours' stay in Seattle was an informal dinner tonight given by John D. Farrell, president of the Great Northern Steamship company. The peace party was escorted to the train by leading citizens of Seattle and by the entire Japanese association of Seattle. A heavy police guard escorted the baron's carriage.

Baron Komura worked until 5 o'clock this morning with cable messages and letters which reached him when the steamship Minnesota arrived at Port Townsend. He was welcomed at Seattle when the Minnesota reached port just before noon by more than 1,000 Japanese. On a tug in the harbor a small crowd of Japanese exploded day fireworks in honor of the party and a band played Japanese and American airs.

Baron Komura has determined not to give out any interviews in America relative to peace negotiations or the war conditions. H. Sato, an unattached member of the foreign service, who is accompanying the party, has been designated as spokesman to discuss any other matters affecting the delegation.

Mr. Sato and H. W. Denison, the American legal adviser of the Japanese foreign department, were with the Japanese ambassadors, who concluded peace with China. They are the only members of the party who have enjoyed such honors in the past.

Aboard the steamship Tuesday night a farewell reception was given by Baron Komura.

Baron Komura's party carries 80 pieces of luggage and about 60 of these are filled with documents needed at the conference and presents which the party will make while in America. Acting under instructions from the state department transmitted through the treasury officials, the baggage of the diplomatic party was passed immediately and without inspection.

BERLIN, July 20.—M. Witte, the senior Russian peace plenipotentiary, passed through Berlin today on his way to Paris. M. Witte spends his time on the Nord Express in a democratic fashion, dining in the public dining car. At the various stations in Germany passed by the express, the crowds showed some curiosity to see the Russian statesman, who scrupulously returned the salutes of the humblest citizens as well as those of the officials.

LEGISLATURE REFUSES TO OUST JUDGE HOOKER

ALBANY, N. Y., July 20.—The assembly today by a vote of 76 to 63 saved Justice Warren B. Hooker from removal from the supreme court bench on the charges concerning his connection with appointments in the Fredonia postoffice and with the Whitner judgment affecting property of the city of Dunkirk, adjoining the Dunkirk postoffice building, owned jointly by him and State Tax Commissioner Lester F. Stearns. Forty-one Republicans and 30 Democrats voted for removal and 58 Republicans and 9 Democrats against removal.

Charles C. Schlotter Dead.

Charles C. Schlotter, aged 49, died last night at 9 o'clock at his home, 167 McClure avenue, Allegheny. He was an ex-policeman, having served on the Allegheny police force for nine years, and was a member of the Allegheny Police Beneficial association and Allegheny Council 112 Jr. O. U. A. M. He leaves a widow, who was Miss Elizabeth Sandvos, and several children.

Glad Hand for Mr. Taft.

TOKYO, July 20.—Extensive preparations are making for the reception of Secretary Taft and party. Beside official receptions, imperial and otherwise, the bankers' and other influential associations and societies are holding meetings and appointing reception committees.

Negroes Enjoy an Outing.

NEW CASTLE, PA., July 20.—Nearly 4,000 colored people were here today attending the annual outing of St. Luke's and the Wesley African Methodist Episcopal churches of Pittsburgh.

ARCANUM STORM CENTERS IN STATE GRAND COUNCIL

Rousing Meeting to Object to New Rates Held in Harrisburg—Original Protestants Will Meet Supreme Representatives Today.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

HARRISBURG, July 20.—Indications tonight point to a meeting of the state grand council of the Royal Arcanum to demand that the supreme council reconvene and readjust the insurance rates which were arbitrarily fixed at the meeting in Atlantic City last May, and which are alleged to discriminate against the older members of the order.

The first protest against the new rates was made by Carlisle council, and this protest has been indorsed by 147 local councils, representatives of a number of which met here tonight in a secret meeting presided over by Sheriff McCollum of Oil City, and adopted resolutions against the rates and demanding a reconvening of the supreme council.

These resolutions will be presented to State Grand Regent Frank B. Wickersham, the state council examination committee and the seven supreme representatives from Pennsylvania, who voted for the new rates in supreme council, who will met here tomorrow to consider the matter of calling the state grand council in session.

At the same time a delegation of Carlisle council, the original protestants, will present their protest and demand to the state council officials.

It is considered quite likely that the move to have the supreme council reconvene and make a more satisfactory adjustment of the rates will succeed. On the demand of seven states the supreme council must meet and such demand has already been made by six jurisdictions with half a dozen more at present on the process of voting on it and likely to favor it. Unless some action is taken there is likely to be a very serious defection in the order. In some of the councils in the Cumberland valley there have already been resignations by wholesale and to others similar action is likely to be taken.

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MERCURY DROPS; HUMIDITY RISES

Suffering Is Not So Intense and the List of Victims Materially Decreases.

WHAT THE RECORDS SHOW

While much relief was experienced yesterday in the moderation of the temperature throughout the Pittsburgh district, which reached its highest mark at 85 degrees at 5 o'clock last evening, considerable suffering was experienced by the exceptional humidity which prevailed during the morning hours. At 9 o'clock yesterday morning the humidity registered 91 at the local weather station, being higher than on any previous day during the week, and exceptional at this season. According to the established measurement of humidity it cannot reach a point above 100 without heavy storms, which in themselves bring immediate relief.

According to the statistics of the local weather bureau the sum total of the average temperature for the first 20 days of this month exceeded the average temperature for the same days in the last 30 years by 44 degrees. The official temperature by hours, beginning at midnight Wednesday, is as follows:

12 a. m.	69	11 a. m.	78
1 a. m.	68	12 a. m.	80
2 a. m.	68	1 p. m.	82
3 a. m.	68	2 p. m.	83
4 a. m.	68	3 p. m.	83
5 a. m.	68	4 p. m.	84
6 a. m.	69	5 p. m.	85
7 a. m.	70	6 p. m.	79
8 a. m.	71	7 p. m.	77
9 a. m.	73	8 p. m.	76
10 a. m.	75	9 p. m.	76

With the fall of the temperature the list of acute sufferers was materially decreased, while those who were stricken during the week found relief. The victims of yesterday are as follows:

THE DEAD.

NICHOLAS VERMER, aged 54, of Wylie avenue; overcome while driving one of the city street cleaning wagons yesterday morning at Fifth avenue and Wall Exam street, and died before the arrival of an ambulance.

FRANK SINGER, 2917 Penn avenue; found dead on the porch of Frank Bartley's home, at 2925 Penn avenue, yesterday morning.

LAWRENCE IVERSON, aged 7 days, of 5 Brown place, Twenty-third ward; died yesterday morning following prostration.

PROSTRATIONS.

GEORGE GOETZ, aged 33, 906 East Ohio street, Allegheny; overcome at Spring Garden avenue and Beaver street; at home and taken to the Allegheny general hospital.

THOMAS MORAN, North Braddock; overcome in the Edgar Thomson mills and removed to his home.

During the storm Wednesday afternoon lightning did considerable damage at Becks Run. Five children were struck, two being seriously injured. The children were playing under a tree and took refuge there until the storm passed. John Morrow and William Maney, aged 13 and 12, respectively, were rendered unconscious. Haney's shoes were torn from his feet and the soles were singed, but otherwise the child was not marked. They are in a serious condition. Others under the tree were Henry Morrow, Annie Morrow and Margaret Haney, who were stunned but not seriously hurt.

MAYOR WEAVER TO GET SPECIAL LEGAL HELP

Councils Pave Way for Employment of Counsel to Assist Him.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, July 20.—Councils today took steps to provide $10,000 for the employment of special counsel to assist Mayor Weaver in his fight against corruption in the city government. James Gay Gordon, now private counsel for the mayor, will be appointed as special counsel. He will have a number of assistants.

Director Potter, head of the public safety department, today demanded the resignations of three lieutenants and dismissed one police sergeant and a special policeman. Heretofore his axe has done its havoc among the patrolmen. It is now expected that many more of the higher officials of the police bureau will walk the plank.

Thomas H. Hartman, a city employe and Republican leader of the Twelfth division of the Fourteenth ward, was held in $2,000 bail; Otto T. Kurz, judge of election; Charles Judge, inspector; Benjamin Williams, clerk of the same division, were each held in $1,500, and E. M. Gunkel, also a clerk, was held in $500 bail on the charge of ballotbox stuffing and conspiracy. Evidence was produced showing that out of a total of 374 votes in the division, 291 were fraudulent. A watcher testified that within half an hour after the polls had opened and before 20 persons had voted, he had seen one of the defendants take a stick and push a large bunch of ballots into the box.

TO MEET AT HAWTHORNE.

Women's Missionary Society of United Evangelical Church Elects Officers and Adjourns.

FRANKLIN, July 20.—(Special.)—The Women's Missionary society of the Pittsburgh conference of the United Evangelical church closed its seventh annual convention here this evening. It was decided to hold next year's meeting at Hawthorne, the last week in June.

The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. M. J. Garner, Brookville; vice president, Mrs. E. W. Rishel, Windber; corresponding secretary, Mrs. J. E. Steelsmith, Marchand; recording secretary, Miss Irene Poling, South York; treasurer, Mrs. S. H. Bartlett, Oil City; superintendent Young People's societies, Miss Mabel Slagle, Greensburg.

GREATER GREENSBURG NOW.

Westmoreland County's Pretty Capital Receives Its New Charter and Is Happy.

GREENSBURG, PA., July 20.—(Special.)—The charter for Greater Greensburg, comprising the boroughs of Greensburg, Ludwick, East Greensburg and Southeast Greensburg, was received today from the office of the secretary of the commonwealth at Harrisburg.

The letters patent received the approval of Gov. Pennypacker yesterday. Greensburg has now a population of almost 20,000. The consolidation of South Greensburg and Southwest Greensburg, which are now contiguous boroughs, is being agitated and will in all likelihood be affected soon.

MARTIN MACUS' DEATH IS FULL OF MYSTERY

Is Found Near Railroad Tracks Decapitated, but Two Men Are Under Arrest.

John Bulley of McKees Rocks was committed to jail last night as a witness to the murder of Martin Macus, who was found decapitated in the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie yards at Bell avenue, McKees Rocks, yesterday morning. There is plenty of mystery surrounding the death of Macus. Some of the county detectives are of the opinion he was murdered, while others think that while intoxicated he fell asleep on the tracks and was run over.

About a week ago Bulley and Macus had a quarrel. Bulley afterward entered suit against Macus for assault and battery, and the latter was fined Wednesday night the men met in a saloon and Macus asked Bulley to drink with him. The latter refused. The men went out. Bulley claims he went home. Boles Eskevich, who is also under arrest, met Macus in the saloon and they went out together. Macus was found dead. Eskvich claims he was not out of the saloon two minutes when he returned alone.

When Macus was found his head had been cut almost off, the back of his skull was crushed, his right arm was cut and crushed and his left leg below the knee was almost severed. There was a small piece of wire twisted about his right wrist. From the position he was found in it appeared as though he had been asleep on the tracks and was run over by some freight cars that backed into the siding.

County Detective Reed said Eskvich was nervous when arrested, but denied being with Macus when he was killed. It was reported that Macus drew $2,000 from the bank Wednesday. John Macus, a brother of the dead man, said the latter was known to have but $20 with him on Wednesday night. There were two hats found near the body of Macus. One was the property of Macus. The county detectives refused to say whether the other hat had been identified. Macus was 45 years old and was a boss-maker. He is survived by his wife and two children.

THINKS YOUNG COUPLE SHOULD LEAVE EAST SIDE

Hebrew Standard Believes Wedding of Miss Pastor Has Separated Her from Her People.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, July 20.—The Hebrew Standard tomorrow will have the following to say regarding the marriage of Harriet Rose Pastor to J. G. Phelps Stokes:

"Consented to be married in a church the lady has ceased to be a part and parcel of the Jewish people.

"The fact that the lady has become an apostate would not concern us in the least were it not for the following statement which appeared in an evening paper:

"'For the life work of young Mr. Stokes and his bride will have to do with the East Side, to fulfill properly what they consider their mission they must live in the midst of all uncouth things—the dirt, the squalor, the poverty and the misery—which is the distinguishing feature of the great turbulent maelstrom of immigrant humanity stretching from Broadway to the East river, in New York.'

"The Christological influence the young millionaire and his newly Christianized bride will exert over the children with whom they will come into contact will be distinctly harmful. They are Jewish children, and any teaching which will create a gulf between them and their parents must be certainly regarded with suspicion.

"The work the gentleman in question will do on the East Side will be of a non-sectarian character. Consequently we may safely presume that the work both he and his newly made wife will be engaged in among Jewish children will be of a non-Jewish character and to this we strenuously object.

"We say frankly and openly that they would have shown far better taste had the young couple made the announcement that they would leave the East Side alone and continue their 'uplifting' work among other sections of the population in greater need of it than the Jewish community."

IS QUESTION OF MONEY.

Bank Officials Ask Court What They Shall Do With Deposit of Absconding Priest.

UNIONTOWN, PA., July 20.—(Special.)—The officers of the First National bank of Connellsville have asked the court to decide what they shall do with $900 deposited in the bank by the Rev. L. A. Monda, the absconding Italian Catholic priest, who was out on bail and fled to Italy.

The bank alleges that on January 20, 1905, Monda deposited $900 to be forwarded to another priest in Italy. Shortly afterwards it was learned that Monda had jumped his bail of $2,500 and the district attorney and bondsmen tried to stop payment of the money on deposit, and it is now sought to have it go to the bondsmen.

BROTHERS ARE GROOMS AT DOUBLE WEDDING

LEETSDALE, PA., July 20.—(Special.)—A double wedding took place at 5 o'clock last evening in the United Presbyterian church here, when the pastor, S. A. McCollam, married Miss Maude E. Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thompson of Pulaski, and William A. Bauman of Leetsdale, the principals of the second ceremony being Miss Amelia Fleuckiger, daughter of Mrs. Mary Fleuckiger of Leetsdale, and Oscar C. Bauman of Leetsdale. The grooms are brothers.

Bigelow Visits Filtration Plant.

T. A. Gillespie, contractor for the filtration plant, yesterday took Director Bigelow out to the work in an automobile. The director expressed himself as satisfied with the progress made. He says the company is carrying on the construction with due diligence.

Pittsburgher Is Killed at Portage.

Thomas Quinlan of 358 Elm street, who was found unconscious on the Pennsylvania railroad tracks at Portage, Cambria county, early Wednesday morning, died at the Cambria hospital, Johnstown, yesterday. His body was identified by his brothers, William, of this city.

GREAT STRIKE IS LOST TO WORKERS

Teamsters' Struggle in Chicago Is Over—Thirty Lives Lost During the Battle.

MEN VOTE TO RESUME WORK

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, July 20.—The teamsters' strike was, at 12:30 o'clock this morning, officially declared off by the members of the teamsters' joint council.

The men have been ordered to seek their old positions, and it is estimated that less than one-half of them will be re-employed. The strikers have made a complete surrender and will apply for work as individuals and without an agreement of any kind with their employers.

The first break in the ranks of the strikers came this afternoon, when the bundle drivers voted to return to work, regardless of what action might be taken by any other union. Tonight, the department store drivers and the railway express drivers voted to call off the strike and seek their former positions in the morning. It is expected that about 50 per cent of the department store drivers will be reinstated.

Tomorrow the truck drivers and one or two smaller unions will vote on the question of calling off the strike, and there is little doubt, union officers say, that they will decide to seek their former places.

The strike has been one of the most annoying, bitterly fought, and expensive affairs of its kind that Chicago has ever known. It originated last winter over the demand of the Garment Workers' association that the firm of Montgomery, Ward & Co. refrain from sending out any work to non-union men, although there was no contract prohibiting such action. Then 35 garment workers employed by Montgomery, Ward & Co. went on strike, and their places were filled by non-union men. Four months after the strike of the garment workers, the teamsters union called on Montgomery, Ward & Co. to arbitrate the garment makers' strike. The refusal of Montgomery, Ward & Co. was followed by a strike of all the teamsters in their employment. The strike rapidly spread to such other business houses as attempted to make deliveries to Montgomery, Ward & Co.

About 15 lives have been lost during the strike and there have been hundreds of assaults, in many of which the victims were seriously injured.

TRAMPLED IN CAMP JONES

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among the officers of the Pittsburgh commands. He had been accorded every courtesy until the unhappy event this afternoon. In Battery B, Mrs. Rees and Mrs. Bandy, with several lady visitors, nursed the young man until he was removed to his hotel in the ambulance. Tonight the young man was resting easily, but it will be some time before he can be taken home. Gen. Wiley said he deplored the accident and showed a willingness to do all in his power for Mr. Hare's comfort.

Ten thousand people witnessed the governor's review of the Second brigade. The weather was ideal and division officers and members of the general staff say that the soldiers of Western Pennsylvania never before made a better showing.

The excursion trains from Pittsburgh and points in the oil country and Mahoning valley brought immense crowds. The parade grounds were lined by pretty girls and the crowd looked as gorgeous as an Easter promenade at the Phipps conservatory. An automobile was not procurable and the governor reviewed the troops from a carriage. The parade passed in 20 minutes. The Sixteenth and Fourteenth regiments made an especially fine showing. Battery B and Troop F of New Castle got the best of the applause. The governor wore an alpaca coat and a straw hat from the same block as that which he disported last year at Gettysburg. He was disposed to look on while Col. Frank Sweeney inspected the companies of the Sixteenth, Tenth and the Fifth regiments. He refused to talk about the appointment of a successor to Secretary of the Commonwealth Fuller, and when approached on political subjects turned the conversation to a discussion of Lake Erie's bracing breezes. The governor tonight slept in the Reed house in Erie, while Gen. Miller and his staff and the colonels of the governor's staff occupied state rooms in the special train.

Lieut. Van Vleck of Corry, battalion adjutant in the Sixteenth, today was appointed captain and side-de-camp on Gen. Wiley's staff. Tomorrow will be devoted to inspections of the Eighteenth and Fourteenth regiments, the battery and two troops of cavalry. The battery will spend the day shooting at targets and at night the governor will leave for home.

Outing of Knights of Malta.

Valetta Commandery, No. 12, Knights of Malta of Braddock, will hold its annual outing and picnic today at Allequippa park. A feature will be a baseball game between the single and married men. About 1,000 members of the order from Braddock, Wilmerding, Turtle Creek and Homestead will go.

Pittsburgh Man Elected.

TOLEDO, O., July 20.—The National Hay association convention which closed today elected as a member of its board of directors W. G. Morgan of Pittsburgh.

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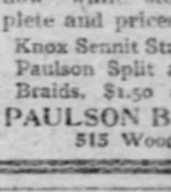

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BIGELOW LIKES GAZETTE'S IDEA

Property-Owners Now Willing to Pay Share of Hump Removal Cost, He Says.

WILL MEET THEM ON MONDAY

The property-owners in the hump district are to hold a meeting in Director Bigelow's office on Monday morning. Then and there plans for a thorough "campaign of education" to induce the people to vote for the removal of the hump will be discussed. According to Director Bigelow, the persons who expect to profit by the increase in value of their holdings through the removal of the hump are willing to come down with some cash themselves.

The idea that the persons to be benefited should pay for the improvement is not new, but Director Bigelow has always declared that the eventual profit to the city would be so great that it was only right for the general body of taxpayers to pay for the work. It is not expected that the property-owners even now will consent to pay all the cost, but the director hopes to see them assess themselves something to pay for part of the work.

The director said yesterday that all morning hump property-owners were calling at his office, to tell him that they were in favor of the 18-foot cut and that they would be willing to pay a proportionate share of the cost of the improvement. At the meeting on Monday arrangements are to be made to hold a public meeting of hump promoters and owners at which contributions will be solicited.

Might Save Some Bond Money.

Asked if the persons to be benefited would pay all the cost of the work, Director Bigelow said:

"That question is hard to answer, but whatever amount is contributed takes off that much from the taxpayers. There would in that case be no necessity to use all the bond money, if the bond issue is approved by the people, and the amount saved out of it could be put into the sinking fund."

It is really expected that Monday's meeting is intended to raise the sinews of war, the amount needed to "educate the people," that is, a campaign fund. Everybody who expects to profit by the increased value which will be given to his property by cutting down the cut, will be asked to contribute to the "educational" campaign. Men who are known to be adepts at getting out the vote in political campaigns are to be engaged to do similar work for the hump bond election.

The director does not think the ordinances introduced in common council last year, fixing the grade for the hump cutting, can be utilized now, and believes that new ordinances ought to be introduced. Those ordinances were laid on the table, pending the bond election, and as the election was adverse to saddling the taxpayers with the improvement, the ordinances were not resurrected.

May Be Again Defeated.

The hump was to be cut down last year 18 feet, yet the people defeated the proposition at the polls. It is predicted that unless the property-owners come up with a good slice of the money needed to do the work and pay for damages to property, the people will again vote against the scheme.

Keeping pace with the hump agitation is the agitation for the purchase of the Monongahela Water Company's plant on the South Side. The councilmanic committee appointed to conduct negotiations with the company will hold a meeting at 2:30 p. m. in the City hall today. Everybody knows that the company wants about $5,000,000 for the property and that, therefore, in the end condemnation proceedings will be necessary before the city can acquire the plant, yet the scheme to delude the South Side into voting for the hump bond issue next month still goes on, and when the hump election day comes along the committee will still be negotiating.

The county commissioners have not signed a waiver for the county buildings. They have not even given the matter consideration. The question of damage to the county property was gone into a year ago. Then it was the opinion of Commissioner J. C. Mercer it would cost about $250,000 if 18 feet were taken off the "hump." This estimate was based on a report made by Andrew G. Shaw of the engineer's office and Architect F. J. Osterling.

Streets Below the Foundations.

Mr. Shaw reported there would only be one point at which the change in the grade would not drop the streets surrounding the court house below the bottom of the foundations of the building. The point is at Fifth avenue and Ross street, where the foundation will stand 1.9 feet below the surface. At Grant street and Fifth avenue the street will be 1.7 feet below the foundation. At Grant and Diamond streets the foundations will stand 6.16 feet above the street. At Ross and Diamond, the street will be 2.62 feet below the foundation. The old university building foundations will stand 7.13 feet above the street level. Mr. Bigelow said the building would either have to be torn down or a new foundation put in.

Mr. Shaw said the exposure of the court house foundations and the blasting necessary to dislodge the rock-bedded "hump" would weaken the building. He reported it would be necessary to build a six foot-retaining wall around the area-way of the court house. The wall would be about 1,025 feet in length. The exposure of the jail foundations would be about the same as those of the court house.

The entrance to the court house in Grant street would have to be changed. A year ago several plans were figured on. All of them were expensive.

TO IMPROVE SHIPMENTS.

Traffic Department of M. & M. Association Arranging Schedule.

William H. Williams, the new traffic manager of the Merchants and Manufacturers' association, has taken up the question of better foreign freight shipments with the various railroad and steamship companies, and expects to make an important announcement within a few days.

Much delay has been experienced in shipping out goods in less than carload lots because the railway companies usually hold cars until they are filled. It is proposed to establish fixed schedules for shipment, so that merchants can act in unity and have their goods carried out on the day of delivery to the railroad yards.

Place Carriers on Honor List.

Four of the seven letter carriers of Homestead yesterday received their stars from the postoffice department, an honor conferred upon those who have been in continuous and faithful service as letter carriers for a period of five years. Those who were honored are W. A. Wills, No. 1; Albert Brondhead, No. 2; Robert Rucker, No. 3, and Edward Riley, No. 4. According to the regulations of the postoffice department, these men were placed on the honor list, their five years having expired July 15.

Germans to Invade Michigan.

Local members of the German Beneficial union, which has its headquarters in this city, will leave for Detroit Sunday 600 strong, in a special train. The object of the trip will be to propagate the work of the organization through Michigan. German residents of Detroit have planned to make the visit interesting and entertaining for the large delegation. The special will leave Union station at 7:30 o'clock Sunday morning.

$6.00	Chautauqua Lake	$6.00
$7.45	Niagara Falls	$7.45
$8.90	Toronto, Can.	$8.90

Via Pennsylvania Railroad.

Each Tuesday, Friday and Saturday during July and August, 15-day excursion tickets, Pittsburgh to Chautauqua Lake points and return, $6.00.

Each Tuesday during July, August and September, 15-day excursion tickets, Pittsburgh to Niagara Falls and return, $7.45 and to Toronto and return, $8.90.

Trains leave Union station at 9:00 a. m., 1:10 p. m. and 11:00 p. m., leaving East Liberty 10 minutes later. Eastern standard time. Pullman parlor and Pennsylvania cafe cars on day trains and Pullman sleeping cars on night trains.

Special Chautauqua Lake sleeping car on 11:00 p. m. train.

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Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

BITTER FIGHT PROMISED IN ALLEGHENY COUNCILS

Wabash Is Said to Be Behind Scheme to Take School Street from Baltimore & Ohio. Will Draw Party Lines.

Factional lines will probably be drawn in Allegheny councils over an ordinance introduced last night in the common branch providing for the repeal of an ordinance vacating School street, from Kilbuck street to the Allegheny river front. It is intimated the Wabash railroad is interested in the measure, and a pretty fight is promised, as at present the street belongs to the Pittsburgh & Western.

It took the Baltimore & Ohio many months to secure the passage of the vacation ordinance two years ago, and the fight stirred up over the measure was one of the bitterest in years in North Side councils. Mayor Wyman fell out with President Samuel McElroy and several other of his best supporters because of his opposition to the passage of the bill. The administration at that time had a fight on with the Baltimore & Ohio, and the machine opposition went against the ordinance for months.

The introduction of the new ordinance is the signal for the first battle in the new councils. So far nothing has troubled the waters since the organization of the bodies last April. No one is talking much about the new bill, and it is unknown yet what attitude the administration forces will take in the fight.

Since getting possession of School street the Baltimore & Ohio has done nothing with it toward extending its yards. The street has not even been closed. Now that an attempt is to be made to take the street from the Baltimore & Ohio the story is revived hat the Wabash intends soon to get into Allegheny and that the extensive changes being made in the topography of the iFrst ward in the vicinity of the baseball park are but part of the Wabash preparations to lay its freight yards in that district.

Property owned along School and Rebecca streets and South avenue by Henry C. Phipps, has been cleared of all buildings within the past three months. Dozens of houses have been demolished and the big plant of the Charles Nut works was torn down. Sheds have been built upon the Phipps' playgrounds and acres of former residence property have been transformed into cleared lots. Wabash officials have denied that the railroad has any interest whatever in these changes, but so far no other explanation has been offered in answer to the query as to the meaning of the improvements.

Common council did little out of the routine last night. It refused to adjourn until September, as select did on Wednesday, as there are pending some measures providing for street and sewer improvements. Besides this it failed to concur in the action of select in authorizing the payment to the H. J. Heinz company of $1,411.45 for time and labor in constructing an addition to the municipal hospital. The bill was laid over for want of a legal majority.

The ordinance creating the Firemen's and Electricians' Disability board and the Policemens' Disability board were sent back for reprinting because of several errors.

Director McIlvain had introduced his ordinance for the purchase of 11 acres of ground from the Marshall heirs for the sum of $15,000, the land to be added to Riverview park. The following measures passed finally:

Ordinances authorizing the construction of porches around the buildings for the insane at Claremont and an engine house in the Fourteenth ward; opening Downing, Warner and Hoff streets; vacating a strip of ground along Harrison avenue; changing the grades of Homer and Orleans streets, St. Clair terrace and Kirkpatrick, Gould and Richey avenues, and all measures passed by the select branch on Wednesday except the Heinz ordinance.

USUAL RESULT FOLLOWS SEARCH FOR LEAKING GAS

Allegheny Couple Go Into Cellar With lighted Candle and Are Painfully Burned.

Homer Haslop and his wife, Annie, went into their cellar at 803 East street, Allegheny, last night with a lighted candle to look for a leaking gas pipe. In the explosion both were badly shocked and burned, but are not in a serious condition. The force of the explosion almost demolished the house and smashed windows in several adjoining buildings. An alarm was sent in from box 116 at 7:35 and three companies responded. Little damage was done by the flames, but the damage done by the explosion will amount to $500.

Mrs. Henry Bandy of 530 Elenora street, Allegheny, went to the store at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and when she returned 15 minutes later flames were issuing from a cupboard in the kitchen. An alarm was turned in from box 114 and the blaze was soon extinguished. It is presumed rats started the fire by nibbling at a box of matches. The damage is $100.

Someone set fire to the stable and storage house of J. C. Ray, at Franklin street and Latrobe alley, Allegheny, at 2:35 yesterday afternoon. The quick action of the fire department prevented a serious blaze and the damage done will be covered by $100. Evidences of incendiarism were found in the barn.

BREAKS INTO JAIL.

Runaway Horse Causes Confusion in McKeesport Lockup, and Creates Panic Among the Prisoners.

Much excitement was occasioned yesterday at the McKeesport police station, and for a time prisoners locked up there were under the impression that a jail delivery was being attempted. A runaway horse which attempted to break into the jail, was the cause of the disorder. After unsuccessfully trying to batter down one of the iron doors leading to the cell cage into the corridor it was captured by Desk Sergeant Peter Kenney and Detective Samuel O'Hara and placed under arrest.

The animal is the property of Traggesser & Abatticchio, Market street liquor dealers. They had left the horse standing in front of the store hitched to a light delivery wagon. Something alarmed the horse and it started down Market street on a jump. After passing the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad tracks it tore loose from the wagon. Up the steps and into the corridor the horse went and the noise made by the iron shod hoofs on the smooth tile floor could be heard for a block.

One woman locked up in the station began to scream and was afterward found in a faint on the floor of her cell. With a crash the horse brough up against the iron bars of the door connecting the cells with the corridor and was knocked off its feet.

YOUNG CRANE WILL RECOVER.

Companion of Grover Hall, Who Was Drowned, Narrowly Escapes Death.

The drowning of Grover C. Hall in Lake Couchiching, in the Muskoka lake region, Ontario, caused regret in Braddock, where the young man had lived for many years until he recently removed to Swissvale. For five years he had been a brakeman on the passenger trains of the Pennsylvania railroad, first on the Johnstown express, and for three years on the New York express, running to Altoona. Roger Crane, who was in the canoe which capsized with Hall, and which almost caused the loss of both lives, is the son of the late Walter Crane, who was until his death recently, chief librarian and superintendent of the Braddock Carnegie library.

He and Hall were bosom friends. Hall was almost 22 years old. He was the son of A. M. Hall, an insurance agent of this city. A telegram received by Mrs. Crane late yesterday afternoon stated that while her son was in a serious condition he will recover. Crane and Hall left last Friday together for Washago to spend their vacation.

EXPECT FAVORABLE VERDICT.

Secretary of C. M. B. A. Hears About the Michigan Case.

J. W. Sullivan of this city, grand secretary of the Catholic Mutual Benefit association, has received word from the association counsel that the injunction suit before the supreme court of Michigan, to restrain the association from increasing its insurance rate, will undoubtedly be decided in favor of the association.

Mr. Sullivan declares that it is necessary to the life of fraternal orders to increase their insurance rates, and that the new rate governing members over 65 years of age is less than that of most other organizations.

Artist Becomes Decorator.

Walter Fredericks, a young Swiss artist, completed the decorations of Carnegie hall, Braddock, yesterday, including the stage settings. He came to Braddock a year ago and was compelled to take a position as ordinary painter in the Edgar Thomson works, where his decorative ability came to the attention of the officials.

Burglars Are Unsuccessful.

Burglars made an unsuccessful attempt early yesterday morning to break into the residence of Prof. Ellis Day at 728 May street, McKeesport. The occupants were aroused by the noise. The robbers had been at work on one of the windows, but were frightened away.

Fears Members Are Not Serious.

Councilman A. G. Roenigk's committee on artesian wells did not meet yesterday. There was no quorum. Councilmen Walters and O'Brien being absent. Mr. Roenick does not know when he will call another meeting. He thinks some of the members of the committee are not serious enough.

The plan of laying a little aside every pay-day at Four per cent. Compound Interest with the Pittsburgh Bank for Savings, Smithfield street and Fourth avenue, is availed of by over 47,000 persons—men and women occupying all positions in life. It's a good habit to foster.

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PITTSBURGHERS BACK OF PIPE LINE SCHEME

George L. Craig Working It Up in Kansas and Indian Territory—Mellons Expected to Finance It.

Pittsburghers and Pittsburgh capital are now engaged in working up a plan for building a big pipe line from Kansas to Port Arthur, Tex. It is to be a cooperative concern, the oil well owners of Kansas and Indian Territory being expected to pool their oil production and take stock in the corporation.

The Oil Investors' Journal of Houston, Tex., contains an item saying that the Mellons, of Pittsburgh, the J. M. Guffey Petroleum Company and the Gulf Refining Company, both Texas corporations, are interested in the movement. It is understood that the two companies named are not interested as corporations, and that the Mellons are only expected by the Kansas people to become the financial backers of the scheme.

George L. Craig, formerly general manager of the J. M. Guffey Petroleum Company has his headquarters now in Kansas. He is working up the plan, according to newspapers of Chanute and Independence, both in Kansas. The oil producers in Kansas and Indian Territory seem to be enthusiastically in favor of the scheme, and all the owners of land in Eastern Texas, where oil has been found, although not yet in paying quantities, are hoping the project will go through, for the pipe line, running from Chanute to Port Arthur, would pass through their district.

This is the plan on which the pipe line company is to be organized. The owners of oil wells and oil lands are to pool their holdings, which are to be turned over to the company, to be paid for part in cash and part in stock. Of course, after the company has been formed it will have to be financed, and down in Kansas and Indian Territory it is believed the Mellons will furnish the cash.

ESCAPE FROM MORGANZA.

Thirteen Boys Make a Dash for Liberty and All But One Are Recaptured.

But one boy, William Loftus, is still at large out of the 13 who made a concentrated effort to escape from the Morganza Reform school Wednesday morning.

The boys were at drill when the 13 revolutionists surprised the guards by rushing into a neighboring corn field. Ten were almost immediately captured and the county detectives were notified at once. Detective Robert L. McMillen and Constable J. J. Shivers of Bridgeville began a search for the three missing boys, and came upon John O'Toole on the Panhandle railroad tracks at 1 o'clock yesterday morning, while he was walking between Bridgeville and Marshaisea. Several hours later Walter Schultz, another of the runaways, was seen coming down the track with a drawn revolver, which he is said to have stolen from the station at Boyce, which he is said to have entered during the night. McMillen drew his revolver and closed in upon the boy, forcing him to surrender. The search for Loftus is being continued.

O'Toole and Loftus are said to have escaped from the Institution three times before. All are juvenile court prisoners.

CHANGES IN SCHEDULE.

More Cars Put on the Charleroi Route of Traction Line.

An important change in the schedule of the Charleroi line of the Pittsburgh Railways Company will go into effect tomorrow. On account of the heavy travel on this line it has been decided to run cars every half hour during the day instead of every hour as at present. Commencing tomorrow morning through cars will leave the stand at Third avenue and Wood street at 5:09, 6:09, 7:09, 8:09, beginning at 8:39 they will leave on each half hour until 6:09, after which they will leave nine minutes after the even hour until 11:39 p. m. Cars will leave Allenport city bound at 5:30, 6:30, 7:30 and 8:30 a. m., and starting at 8:30 will leave every half hour until 6:30 p. m., leaving every hour from then until 11:30 p. m.

On Sundays the first car will leave Pittsburgh at 8:09 a. m. and the last car at 11:39 p. m. First car will leave Allenport at 6:30 a. m. and the last car at 11:30 p. m. The schedule for Sundays, with these exceptions, will remain the same as on week days.

More Water for East End.

Accompanied by Councilman C. W. Helmold, 30 residents of the Twentieth ward called on Director Bigelow yesterday to ask for relief from the water shortage in the Baum Grove district. Director Bigelow told them they should have plenty of water within a month. It is believed the director is thinking of tapping a large main on Friendship avenue. Permanent relief can be afforded only by the laying of a 36-inch main to supply the Twentieth, Sixteenth and Fourteenth wards.

To Take State Church Census.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Allegheny County Sabbath School association yesterday morning it was reported that an effort would be made during the annual convention of the Pennsylvania State association in Philadelphia in October to adopt plans for taking a census of the church and Sunday school membership throughout the state. It is proposed to sub-divide every county in the state and place each division in the hands of a special census committee.

Says Parker Robbed Him.

George Parker was held for court yesterday by Magistrate Moke on a charge of highway robbery on information of H. E. Neff of 838 Liberty avenue, Allegheny. Neff alleges that on Wednesday night he visited a disorderly house in Poplar alley with Parker and when they left Parker knocked him down and took his pocketbook.

Wheeling and Return $1.50.
Pennsylvania Lines Every Sunday.
Special Train Going and Returning.
Leaves Pittsburgh Union station 7 a. m., Central time. Excursion tickets also sold for regular train, leaving Union station 8:20 a. m., Central time.

Read about the "Word Hunt" on page five. $50 in prizes each week.

DREAM OF YEARS MAY COME TRUE

Company That Wants to Pierce Boyd's Hill With Tunnel Has Received a Charter.

PROJECTORS PLEDGE FAITH

The Crogstown Tunnel Company yesterday received a state charter. The company was incorporated with James B. Milholland, Howard G. Evans and Leo M. Gillon as directors. Milholland and Evans are civil engineers and Gillon is in the office of Fagan & Magee, counsel for the company. It is understood that they are directors for incorporation purposes only, but Charles A. Fagan said yesterday that he was not yet ready to disclose the identity of the men who are behind the project.

"But this I will say," said Mr. Fagan, "the men who engaged us as counsel say they are going to put the tunnel through as soon as possible, and they are financially able to do so. Surveys have been made and estimates of the cost prepared.

This tunnel, if built, will be the fruition of a dream many years old. Forty years ago people talked of a possible tunnel from the end of the South Tenth street bridge to Fifth avenue or to the old Forbes road. Every 10 years or so the scheme would be discussed again, but nobody ever went so far as to take out a charter.

The tunnel is to run under Boyd's hill, from a point opposite the end of the South Tenth street bridge, emerging on Forbes street at Old avenue, diagonally across the street from the Ohio & Pittsburgh Milk Company's plant. The tunnel will be about 1,580 feet long and 60 feet wide, and will cost about $342,000.

The company claims the right of eminent domain and therefore will condemn the houses and property at the point where the tunnel emerges on Forbes street, if the necessary approaches cannot be acquired by negotiations. It need not obtain a franchise from city councils, it is asserted, as long as the approaches to the tunnel are on its own ground, although the city may perhaps claim the right to give or withhold a franchise for cutting the tunnel. Persons who own property on top of the hill can, it is said, offer no legal objections to the digging of the tunnel, for the company will be liable for any damages done.

Under the state laws the company will be empowered to fix rates of toll for vehicles and pedestrians, and the projectors are said to figure on liberal patronage from pedestrians alone. If the Pittsburgh Railways Company does not effect a lease of the part of the tunnel for cars through the tunnel company itself will probably lay tracks and run cars from end to end, to carry the pedestrians. It is pointed out that the traction company has one line of cars, the one that now crosses the South Tenth street bridge, for which the tunnel would offer a more convenient and shorter route than the present one up Second avenue as far as the bridge.

HOW SUMMERLEA STREET CAN SOON BE IMPROVED

It Was Declared Opened 15 Years Ago, But Part Is Still Obstructed By Fences.

Persons who live near Roup station and would like to go down Summerlea street to Roup station from Ellsworth avenue to the Pennsylvania railroad, are complaining that fences of property-owners are out in the middle of the street, which is opened only on paper. Investigation shows that the remedy lies with the persons interested. They can easily have the fences removed, and it rests with them whether they want the street graded and paved.

Summerlea street, from Walnut street to the Pennsylvania railroad, was opened by ordinance in July, 1899. Viewers were appointed to assess damages and benefits. They reported to councils and their report was approved on October 27, 1899. Damages and benefits were collected in the next year or two, and there the matter has rested ever since, except that the street was paved as far as Ellsworth avenue.

If those persons who want a short route to Roup station are in a hurry to use the street before it is graded and paved all they need do is to notify the bureau of highways and sewers, and the bureau will order all fences and private obstructions removed from the route of the street. After that there are two ways to have the street improved from Ellsworth avenue to the railroad. Either a petition can be sent into councils praying that an ordinance be passed to grade and pave the street, or if the property-owners object to having that improvement made an ordinance may be brought into councils to grade and pave the street without the consent of the owners. If the ordinance passes councils by the legal majority stipulated in such cases the improvement would then be made under the act of 1895, and viewers would be appointed to assess the damages and benefits to abutting property owners. According to maps on file in the offices of the department of public works the property on both sides of Summerlea street, from Ellsworth avenue to the railroad, is owned by E. H. Myers.

PATIENTS OF ALLEGHENY GENERAL AT GLENCAIRN

The Allegheny General hospital is using the old Karnes mansion at Glencairn as a sanitarium for convalescents. About 40 patients of the big institution returned from the country yesterday and an equal number were taken up, to spend a few weeks on the place. The Karnes property is now in the hands of the First Presbyterian church of Allegheny, and from this congregation many children are spending some time as fresh air patients. Dr. C. M. McLaughlin is in charge as Glencairn.

At Last Finds Practical Device.

Director Harry Moore will continue his investigations of fenders for street cars. A number of life saving devices have been submitted to the director and they will be tested in due time. John H. Dixon has submitted a plan to Moore and the latter deems it a practical device.

Report of Contagious Diseases.

Twenty-two cases of typhoid fever, five of scarlet fever and two of diphtheria were reported to the Pittsburgh bureau of health yesterday.

GROETZINGER

Reduced Prices Prevail

on all broken lines now—Bargains in Porch Furniture, Porch Rugs, Porch Mattings, Odd Rolls of China and Japan Mattings.

Special Curtain Clearance Sale continues this week. Rare bargains in Laces of all grades—

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What's on Hand Today? Gloves!

They Are Fabric Gloves for Women; They Are to Be Sold Much Less Than Regular Prices; They Are Just New in the House.

Some are silk gloves, some are lisle gloves, all are stylish for midsummer wear. All are priced low enough to warrant any woman buying a half dozen pairs. Here is the quartette:

KAYSER GLOVES—the well beknown—an elegant grade of silk. You can choose black, you can choose white, or you can choose different colors. Two-clasp lengths. They call them seconds—don't know why, for we've looked them over and don't find any imperfections; at least any that amount to anything. Don't think any woman ever knew of Kayser's seconds to be on sale in Pittsburg before. The unusual prices as follows: Regular 50c styles, 35c pair; regular 75c styles, 45c pair.

SUEDE LISLE GLOVES—an open mesh fabric like a lace net—white—two-clasp length—regularly 75c, today, a pair 35c

12-BUTTON LENGTH SILK GLOVES—those of short sleeve popularity—black, white—all with double tips—$1.00 grade, today, a pair 75c

16-BUTTON LENGTH SILK GLOVES—white and black—a very popular glove to accompany the short sleeve dress—$1.25 and $1.50 values for, a pair $1.00

Entire Stock

Men's Suits in Fancy Mixtures

Now One-Third Off.

This is the most pointed talk we've had with men for some time—a third off on all suits of fancy cloth, from the lowest priced suit up to suits of finest grade. You should delegate to yourself some time today to look through our summer lines and note the variety of summer suits that is included in this generous offer. There is hardly any color mixture you can conjure but what will be found in the collection, and some of the color mixtures are so faint as to give the cloth the appearance of a plain color—take, for instance, the popular and exceedingly neat gray effects.

We also have other offers in men's Summer attire set forth in the following paragraphs, each and all depicting a range of clearance prices worth while considering.

Men's Outing Suits, about 100 of them—what we call coat-and-trouser suits—that were $15.00, $16.50, $18.00, today we'll say for the suit $10.00

Also have a lot of men's raincoats to dispose of for a third off—not a great lot, because these are the garments that men consider it their duty to have in their wardrobe, therefore always a ready sale.

But this offering is made up of odd sizes, and if your size is in the collection you are a man to be admired for his luck. A third less than formerly.

Also, we'll have a collection of men's silk-lined covert overcoats (let your thoughts rest on next Autumn in considering this), and the price will be one-third off.

As a matter of fact we are going to make this a third off round-up, and those who are in line for such garments can purchase dress suits and tuxedo suits and neat striped worsted trousers for a third off.

A Third Off on Boys' Summer Suits.

Before quoting the clearance prices on boys' Summer Suits of excellent wool cloth, and we want it distinctly understood that all the suits come under this third-off rule, we want to call your attention to the fact that you cannot make your boy more comfortable in hot weather than to buy him a General Miles play suit of blue jean. The cost is 40c—two suits for 75c. Sizes are for boys 4 to 12 years of age. Nothing quite so cute as to see a youngster in a Rough Rider Suit, a pair of sandals upon his bare feet. Doesn't make any difference how dirty he gets—he's enjoying solid comfort.

Now regarding the third-off proposition on boys' Summer garments, you could not spend a half hour more profitably than to look over the following line and select something for present wear, as well as something for the cool time of late Autumn. Some of the garments we ask you to see today:

Boys' Double-breasted Suits, light and dark cheviots, worsteds, homespuns — sizes 8 to 12 years — now ..... A THIRD OFF

Boys' Reefers of blue serge, tan covert, blue cheviot—sizes 3 to 12 years—now ..... A THIRD OFF

Boys' Blouse Suits and Sailor Suits, mohairs and light mixtures, checks, Scotch effects—sizes 2½ to 6 years—now ..... A THIRD OFF

Boys' Topcoats, tan covert and Raincoats—sizes 7 to 14 years—now ..... A THIRD OFF

Hoot, Mon! Any Straw Hat in the House, 85c

We're not taking this line and that line and reducing them so much, but we take our entire collection, irrespective of any former price, and say to you, hat yourself for the balance of the Summer and pay us 85c.

Here's another way to look at the proposition: say you paid $1.50 or $2.00 for a straw hat at the beginning of the season—it is now grimy with Pittsburg soot—you feel like having it cleaned—after it is cleaned you feel like saying things about its sallow complexion. Why not obviate all this fussing by getting a new hat for 85c? You are as likely to get a $3.00 hat as not.

Suit Cases and Satchels and Carry-Alls for the End-o'-the-Week Trip.

Botheration on borrowing, for borrowing is botheration—twist it round any way you want, it points to the fact that everyone should own a grip of some kind. And there is no place we know of where there is more variety in the way of requisites for any sort of a trip than right in our Trunk Store of East Basement—the variety extends from the simple shawl strap to the capacious wardrobe trunk. Don't borrow a suit case or a satchel when you can own one for a very small outlay. See us today, or tomorrow before 1 o'clock.

Those interested will please remember that on some Porch Furniture our prices have been lowered 50 per cent. on other grades 25 per cent. Keen business people buy on a falling market.

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It is not surprising that a Russian artillery company, stationed near Tiflis, has followed the example of the crew of the Kniaz Potemkine, killed its officers and deserted to join a band of Armenian revolutionists. These things have come to be expected in Russia. They are epidemic. And they are the legitimate result of what has gone before.

Baron Komura, Japanese minister of foreign affairs and chief peace plenipotentiary, arrived at Seattle yesterday. He declined to talk, but at once dispatched a prodigious day's work. It may be inferred that Baron Hayashi has the Japanese job of doing all necessary diplomatic bluffing from his safe distance and that Baron Komura is prepared to do the serious negotiating if any is to be done.

An advance of 20 to 25 per cent in prices of meat in Germany has started an agitation for repeal of all exclusion laws. This is countered by a louder demand from the agrarians for outright exclusion of live cattle. Germany is paying a high price for the protection of its agrarian interests and one that will ultimately embarrass its industries in competition with the world.

Responsive to the recommendation of Gov. Higgins, the New York legislature has begun proceedings looking to an investigation of the Equitable Life Assurance society. Simultaneously District Attorney Jerome has begun proceedings in court. Surely the lid will be off the Equitable when all these inquiries are completed and it may be expected all similar institutions will be busy cleaning house while these matters are pending. Some good should result.

While the British government sustained defeat by a majority of three in the house of commons yesterday, Mr. Balfour declines to say whether or not the ministry will resign. The question was the reduction of Irish membership in the house and, of course, the opposition comprised the entire Irish delegation and the Liberals. The incident does not force an appeal to the electorate, but the fact is better established that the Balfour government cannot expect to hold out much longer.

Chairman Shonts and Engineer Stevens wisely refrain from talking much of conditions on the canal strip before they have seen it. Mr. Shonts did talk entertainingly, however, of his plans to keep the men in good heart, and of the labor problem in general. He has wide experience in this field and should prove a very valuable man in dealing with this most perplexing question. Engineer Stevens is becomingly modest. The hope will be general that he will be correspondingly vigorous in the work of digging.

It was to have been expected that Japanese construction genius would restore Port Arthur; military sagacity dictated rehabilitation of the fortifications. The unexpected note in the news from that former Russian fortress is the account of the restoration of Gen. Kondratenko's house and the erection there of a tablet with the inscription: "Here lived Gen. Kondratenko, the hero of Port Arthur." Japanese chivalry and the sense of justice stands out prominent in that act—a tribute paid while the fortunes of war hang in the balance.

A 4,000-ton steamer, the Drake, has towed two barges of Standard oil across the ocean. The steamer is named for the pioneer oil producer, the originator of a great industry, and it is fitting it should be the pioneer in trans-Atlantic barge towing. The importance of the fact is in its application. Looking ahead to the completion of the Panama canal and the improvement of the Ohio river to a 9-foot channel it is not difficult to see Pittsburgh barges going to sea without breaking bulk cargo. The thing is feasible, for oil is a difficult freight.

Taking a New Position.

Director Bigelow has had another revelation and has accordingly shifted the scenes again. He now proposes to have the property owners who will be benefited by the cutting of the hump pay a part of the cost. This sensible suggestion was made more than a year ago by The Gazette and repeated frequently since. It is gratifying to find the director adopting it as his very own. It will be interesting to note the eagerness with which the idea will also be adopted by his faithful disciples who have followed him in the indorsement of an 18-foot cut, a 15-foot cut, and back again to 18 feet.

Director Bigelow has a right idea this time, but is applying it to a wrong plan. Property owners who are benefited should pay for street improvements in their interest. Property owners who are injured, as Controller Larkin says, those below the hump will be, should not be assessed benefits either directly or in the form of taxes. The Gazette does not agree with the controller about the prospective injury to downtown property, but that does not affect the principle of justice involved.

There will be injuries inflicted by the proposed cut of 18 feet, but they will be upon properties in the hump district, such as the court house and the Frick building; upon owners of businesses in that section; upon traffic, by interruption, and upon the general public by inconvenience. These will be in proportion to the depth of the cut, increasing in progressive ratio with every foot. Mr. Bigelow, his disciples and his organs persistently ignore the consequential damages, while chattering about waivers of direct damages and paying for the improvement by increased taxes from inflated valuations.

A Shameless Measure.

The Poe amendment to the constitution of Maryland, seeking to restrict suffrage of the colored citizens, is one of the most vicious political measures ever sought to be foisted upon a free people. An absolute monarchy like Russia might entertain such a proposition seriously, but non else, for the effect of the amendment will bear on a number of white voters larger than the aggregate of colored voters.

The cry of "negro domination" raised by Senator Arthur Pue Gorman when he returned to active political life, is wholly imaginary in Maryland. It was distinctly the shibboleth of Gormanism, and was resorted to because the Democracy of that state as well as the nation was impoverished of real issues. The records show that the colored population of Maryland is not only inconsiderable, compared with the whites, but it has been falling off every year. But Gorman pressed his gage of battle and finally frightened the people to do his bidding. The Poe amendment is the fruit of that victory, and is no doubt the ordering of Gorman, who is now safely ensconced in the United States senate.

That there is no reason for this proposed wholesale disfranchisement, the most drastic and radical ever conceived of, is made plain by the bitter opposition of Gov. Warfield, who leads the moderate and more intelligent wing of Maryland Democracy. We mistake the temper of the liberal and patriotic class of citizens of Maryland if they do not rise at the proper time and crush the Poe amendment, which if adopted would make for the detriment and degradation of the state, and keep in power a coterie of Democrats of unenlightened instincts.

A Russian Congress.

The most remarkable exhibition of public sentiment and official fear yet made in Russia is the meeting of the zemstvo congress in Moscow, in defiance of police orders. The congress reconvened yesterday, without further police interference and proceeded to discuss the proposed constitution. The first resolution denounced the invasion of private rights, which is the most offensive feature of the Russian system. The discussion proceeded to a question whether the constitution should be proclaimed to the people, or submitted to the czar for approval, with an apparently preponderant sentiment favorable to a direct appeal to the people.

This is surely a startling expression of the agitation that is shaking the Muscovite empire. The zemstvo congress is composed of representative citizens. It is an actual parliament, its members being chosen by the district assemblies and town councils as the men of each section best qualified to formulate policies of government. Some time ago the assembly was encouraged by the czar and it was said he would attend in person. This he has not done. When the delegates first met the police ordered them to disperse. On refusal the police began to take their names. Others than delegates urged the taking of their names with the others. Since then the police have done nothing.

These facts are startling to foreign observers. A few months ago, it is morally certain, no body of men would have been permitted to discuss questions of government, in this manner, in the ancient capital city of Moscow. Above all no meeting could have been held in defiance of police orders. The defeats in Manchuria, the riots in the cities, the mutinies in the navy, the revolts in the army have penetrated the sense of even Russian officialdom. Revolution is imminent. Peaceful revolution under the title of reform, if the czar and his advisers are wise; bloody rebellion if they are not. Such, at least, is the way it appears at this distance.

A Change in Kansas.

Kansas has permitted the Kansas Natural Gas Company to register as a foreign corporation doing business in the state, just after the Kansas supreme court had decided it had no right there. The gas company is a Delaware corporation, owned and managed by Pittsburghers, and its only offense to Kansas sentiment was that it did business on business principles. It has several millions invested in gas territory, wells and pipe lines in the Sunflower state and was regarded as a legitimate object of attack.

Whether the grant by the charter board at Topeka is to be regarded as a symptom of returning sanity on the part of Kansas, or a mere hiatus in its hysterics, may not be decided at the moment. There is trouble enough in the official family of Kansas to incite death-bed repentance, yet it is not safe to gamble on the breezy state staying put on anything—not even prohibition, enforced at the point of the hatchet or by dynamite. In any event the official family trouble is likely to divert the Kansas authorities, at least temporarily, from giving undivided attention to the sinful corporations in which they are not financially interested.

Gov. Hoch has forgotten the lamented state refinery bill, for which he declared the supreme court should have "strained a point," while he alternately berates State Treasurer Kelley and State Auditor Wells and tries to figure out how he can recover the state funds on deposit in the First National bank of Topeka. Treasurer Kelley is busy hunting new bondsmen to take the place of C. J. Devlin of the bank and Auditor Wells is kept busy replying to Gov. Hoch's strictures. In this situation the Kansas National Gas Company is permitted to do business and take care of its interests. Even the Standard Oil "octopus" is permitted to exert itself to care for the Kansas producers' product while the state press belabors Senator F. Dumont Smith, of the short grass region, who was one of the chief promoters of the anti-corporation legislation last winter and the hero of the session at its close in March.

The Gregorian Chant.

Bishop Canevin's letter ordering the Catholic churches of the Pittsburgh diocese to conform to the Pope's encyclical reinstating the Gregorian chant and banishing women from the choirs shatters the last hope of those who, from a purely esthetic point of view, had wished for a "loose construction" of the encyclical. Pope Pius is determined to reform the ritual music of the church by going back to the days of Gregory the Great, back to the sixth century, and there is nothing for the churches but to obey. No more will Mozart's sublime "Requiem" be heard in the Roman Catholic churches, nor Beethoven's grand "Missa Solemnis," nor Bach's classic H minor mass, nor the masterpieces of Palestrina, Orlando di Lasso, Coussemaker, Lambrillote and many others who have written standard masses, to say nothing of other church music that is polyphonic in character. One of the most potent attractions of the Catholic church for the stranger will be surrendered absolutely, as no one will find any but an antiquarian's pleasure in the droning monotony of the Gregorian chant.

From an esthetic point of view this is deeply to be regretted. It is the same as if the churches were ordered to remove all paintings that showed perspective or shading, and to return to the art of the Catacombs. Nor can it be justified historically. The Gregorian chant when first introduced was itself a reform, an innovation, displacing the Ambrosian chant. The legitimacy of one reform implies the admissibility of others as times change. Pope Gregory introduced the most advanced music of his age, and the church has followed his lead. If Pope Gregory had reigned after Palestrina and Bach, the Gregorian chant would be different.

On the other hand, there is a religious point of view which must be admitted. There is no doubt that all the churches, Catholic and Protestant, have been laying ever greater stress upon the ornamental side of worship. Spectacularly adorned churches and symphony orchestras have driven out the communion of saints and drowned the simple accents of worship. So the pope's encyclical need not be construed as hostility to art. It is rather a militant step toward the simple life in man's relations with his God.

Some people are trying to charge the excessive temperature to the big spots on the sun. Last winter the spots were accused of causing the deficiency in temperature. This problem is too strenuous for 90 in the shade.

Baron Komura's advent in America should commend him to the advocate of strenuous life, now at Oyster Bay. Twenty-four hour stretches are above par.

There has also been a sudden abandonment of the talk about bridges for the South Side. Another record on estimates that will not stand inspection.

Controller Larkin's temperary silence may indicate the preparation of a mass of figures, or the patient incubation of new plans for Director Bigelow.

"Scotty" and the Santa Fe are now accused of theatrical advertising to get mail contracts. This is odd. Railroads do not operate "star" routes.

Chairman Shonts is bent on having some fun with the boys on the Isthmus. Maybe he has been homesick sometime himself.

Kansas City has a street car fender that fends. It operates on grades similar to those of Pittsburgh. There are others.

The Dispatch has temporarily retired its "city beautiful" project, pending decision on the "fundamental improvement."

Up to date the zemstvo congress has not decided whether to declare the constitution for Russia, or submit it to the czar.

Prime Minister Balfour is not one to be excited by small things, such as adverse majorities of 3.

At one and the same time the courts and the New York legislature are lifting at the Equitable lid.

Japan is not losing sleep over the peace conference, nor overlooking any good bets in the field.

Director Bigelow has a new inspiration almost every day.

Kansas has temporary fits of reason.

QUIET OBSERVATIONS

By ERASMUS WILSON.

"Are July and August good months to marry in?" asks a Dennison girl.

A great question for an Ohio girl to ask, don't you think?

In the good old days before the war the girls didn't ask such questions, but took it for granted that any time they got a chance to marry was a good time.

Surely times have changed since then and the girls are not what they were. Whether the change is for the better is neither here nor there, for we have to live in the present and not in the past, save in our minds and hearts, and it is not well to live too much in the past lest we make not the most of the present.

Sorry, indeed, must be the heart and mind that can't pleasantly live awhile in the past now and then, but to sigh for the old times, to mourn because we have them not, is to waste the present, which is poor policy, if not sinful.

The present is upon us with its demands and we must meet them promptly or forego the blessings that follow doing that which our minds and hearts find for us to do.

If a girl finds a chance to take a mate in July or August, there are no good reasons why she should not, but plenty why she should.

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What a lot of trouble is caused by the observance of unlucky days, evil months and off years. We say there is not anything in them, and yet we observe them just the same.

Haven't you neglected or refused to do things because the sign wasn't right, and at the same time feeling ashamed of yourself? Nor would you tell anyone the true reason why you didn't do them.

Taken all in all, we do a lot of lying to ourselves as well as to others. We do it to quiet conscience and to give us a better opinion of ourselves. While we may not try to deceive ourselves as we would our neighbors, it is none the less lying, of a kind at least.

We usually flash up these lies when we are confronted with the fact that we have neglected a clearly defined duty, or have wronged some one besides ourselves.

These usually take the form of false arguments which we advance to justify our conduct. And how we do persist in thrusting down our own throats that which we know to be unreasonable, illogical and false.

This is bad, very bad, for it soon destroys confidence in ourselves, weakens the power of conscience over us, and leads up into the habit of doing wrong just because it comes handier than doing right.

Do the right and do it now, is the only safe and wise way to succeed.

If this Ohio girl has found the right man, and feels quite certain that he has found the right girl, let her proceed to marry, regardless of old signs and old sayings.

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Mr. Quiet Observer—As a constant and interested reader of your valuable column, I now take my pen in hand in defense of the girl of 50 years ago, she of the "shaker" bonnet and "knit" mitts.

It is true you praise her, faintly, as though you wish to let her rest in peace. We should be willing to do so if people would only give us the chance. We are entitled to rest after all those early years of toil that in these days of luxury would be considered downright hardship.

If we lack book-learning it is less our fault than that of the times in which we sought to be educated. In education, then, as in everything else, we made the most of our opportunities. Give the boy or girl of today, dabbling in the arts and sciences, a hard wooden bench, a Bible, spelling book, written "sums" to do, with a copy "set" by the "master," and will they graduate with any more education than we did then?

If to this you add our home duties, performed in homes lacking all modern conveniences, the bright pupil of today would hardly survive a single term, short as they were then.

Living then was a more serious problem than it is today, and if people aged more rapidly their spiritual and intellectual natures matured earlier.

All of us, old and young, sought not only to perform the actual labor made necessary by those strenuous times, but to enjoy social life, as well. Those of us who remember the singing and spelling schools, quiltings and visiting days in which busy fingers were flying and tongues employed in no unkindly chatter, know that little time was spent in idle dreaming.

And may we not have lived faster in one sense then than now?

The knit mitts were not the creation of the morning sun bath, the afternoon parlor chat, nor were they made by brilliant electric light, but often by the waning light of the tallow dip, the visiting days being employed in something more necessary.

The tendency of those times was to wear the body out while heart and brain were fresh and vigorous, strong because busied constantly in useful and happy employment.

Today easy living preserves the bodily powers, but is so detrimental to proper habits of mind and heart that at 40 many people find life burdensome.

THE LAST SURVIVOR.

Patton, Pa.

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No, not the last of the old-fashioned girls. We shall ever need them, so may their tribe never vanish from the earth.

Have you ever thought of the great and good influences these old-fashioned people have over rising generations?

Possibly not, for they are usually modest, mild-mannered and not much in evidence in the midst of the hurly-burly of life. Their places are in the quiet corners where we go to visit when we have grown weary, and maybe heartsore and sick.

And what friends they prove to be at such times, very angels of peace, rest and hope. They may not know it, but they are. And we may not recognize this as such at the time, but later on, maybe when we reached our haven, whether of joy or sorrow, we then see them in their true form, angelic.

No, indeed, we can't admit that she is the last survivor, for we have great hopes for the happiness of the throngs that are to follow us, which hopes would be poorly founded did we not believe that the old-fashioned girl, old-fashioned mothers and old-fashioned homes were not to remain indefinitely.

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The old-fashioned girl of the future may not wear mitts, knit by the waning light of a tallow dip, but she will be as like to her times as the old-fashioned girl of the present is to her times.

Nor will there be a very marked difference because the characteristics of old-fashioned girls are not confined to styles of dress, but rather to human qualities most godlike.

Unfortunate, indeed, is the man or woman who has not known an old-fashioned girl, or an old-fashioned mother, or an old-fashioned home which they will not allow to pass from memory.

Such as these influenced the lives and fashioned the careers of almost every good man and woman who lives, or has lived, or will live.

Take from us pomp and splendor but leave us the modest, the peaceful, the gentle, loving old-fashioned girls, the angels posted along the way of life to cheer and bless the weary and the faint-hearted, to caution the unwary and to restrain the thoughtless.

Many there be who will heed them not, but it is all the worse for them, as they will learn as they approach the end of their journey.

What Did She Expect?

"I don't like the way every man we meet stares at you, Ethel."

"Well, you don't expect them to stare at you, surely, ma!"—London Tit-Bits.

TALKED OF IN GOTHAM

By FRANK A. PARKER.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, July 20.—Every phase of Paul Jones' life is exemplified in the exhibition of 1,000 prints and biographies now on exhibition in the main corridor of the Lenox library. As a bold pirate, as a loyal and devoted servant of the republic, and, last but not least, as a "ladies' man," he is pictured by a variety of artists, biographers and historians.

In the first capacity his daring deeds of courage afforded material for the sensational reading of the period. One small book detailed the history of his adventures, written by himself, the book being entitled by his publisher, "The Interesting Life, Travels, Voyages and Daring Engagements of That Celebrated and Justly Renowned Man, John Paul Jones." The contents being described as relating to "the numerous anecdotes of undaunted courage in the prosecution of his various enterprises, written by himself."

Another book, published in the latter part of the seventeenth century adds the information in the introduction that "only 25 years ago Scotch mothers had only to mention the name of Paul Jones in order to frighten their crying children into examples of perfect obedience."

As a loyal and devoted servant of the republic, there is testimony galore in congressional records which not only praise his splendid courage for raising the American flag for the first time on an American man-o'-war, but give what was probably an equally as acceptable reward at that time in the shape of prize money. Of his record as a "ladies' man" there are numerous instances. That the gallant seafighter always had a soft spot in his heart for the gentler sex was evidenced by the fact that there were numerous reproductions of ivory miniatures which had been presented by him to various fair women. Paul Jones' handwriting is exceptionally fine and legible for a man in the old days. It is firm and clear and shows in the formation of the letters something of the strength of the man's character. Not only the chirography itself, but the diction is perfect, and were no other facts at hand as evidence one would know that the writer was a man of fine breeding and education. The exhibition will remain on view during July.

Plan Peculiar Undertaker Shop.

There is to be an undertaking establishment on West Seventy-second street, between Columbus and Amsterdam avenues, once one of the most fashionable residence blocks in the city. Announcement was made some time ago that stores were shortly to appear where handsome residences now stand, and this undertaking "parlor" is to be of a style somewhat in keeping with the old-time glory of the thoroughfare. One of the oldest undertaking corporations in the city has made application for a ten years' lease of a house which was sold last week to make way for the invasion by business. The house is an imposing brick and stone structure. The plan is to use the house, just as it is, for funerals. Persons dying in hotels or apartment houses may be buried from this establishment with all the appearance of being buried from the family home. Should the experiment prove a success, it is planned to start a similar enterprise on Fifth avenue, in the heart of the fashionable district.

Small Toad Causes Big Crowd.

A little hoptoad not more than two inches long jumped from a life of insignificance today into prominence, and for an hour or more gave a swimming exhibition to an admiring crowd of 500 persons. All this happened around the fountain in city hall park. Where Mr. Toad came from no one in the crowd knew and no one cared. A little urchin, half naked, was seen ambling slowly across the park at 8 o'clock, just as the crowd of office help was going to business. Suddenly Mr. Toad escaped from his captor and began hurdling toward liberty. The boy chased his quarry. Two girls screamed. And the show was on for fair. The boy caught the frog and tossed it into the fountain. The hurrying crowd stopped. To them that poor little toad was a novelty. It suggested green fields and pastures where the breezes blow and where there is no heat. The crowd grew to large proportions. Two policemen hurried to the scene, thinking that small boys were taking a bath in the fountain. Mr. Toad paid no attention to anyone. He swam around for an hour or more and then another boy plucked him out of the water and carried him off to Cherry Hill, where a toad is a curiosity.

Dog Chewed Man's Lip Off.

A bull terrier which an oysterman attempted to caress early today in a restaurant at Second avenue and Fourteenth street developed unexpected viciousness and sprang at the man's throat. He succeeded in beating off the savage animal, but this served only to increase its anger. It made another spring, this time catching the lower part of the man's face in its jaws. Before the beast's mouth could be pried open the man's lower lip had been chewed off and the upper lip and chin had been mangled terribly. He was taken to Bellevue hospital. If he survives the shock and loss of blood he will be removed to the Pasteur institute. The dog escaped.

Stabs Wife in Street.

Mrs. Edith Beach, aged 36, residing with her mother in First street, was stabbed in the back last evening by her husband, Joseph Beach, as she was passing down the Bowery, near Grand street. The affair caused much excitement. Mrs. Beach walked four blocks to the Elizabeth street station. There a Hudson Street hospital surgeon took eighteen stitches in the wound. Mrs. Beach has not been living with her husband for several weeks. She said he failed to support her, and when she met him last night he asked her to live with him again. When she refused he stabbed her. He has not been captured. Mrs. Beach went home.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the leading New York hotels:

Waldorf-Astoria.
E. D. Balken, M. Roberts, A. S. Fraser, T. W. Fitch.

Manhattan.
N. J. Neall, C. L. Garson, G. E. Gillis, J. F. Hazen, Jr., K. M. Pirrdle, L. McClelland, L. K. Davis.

Holland.
J. C. Thaw, A. L. Weil, W. L. Mellon.

Imperial.
L. D. Strouss, L. O. Pacus, H. L. Rose.

Broadway Central.
W. J. Kirby, M. L. Land, Mrs. Lacy, Mrs. T. P. Swasey.

Park Avenue.
Miss M. Collins, J. O. Wells, Mrs. Wells, W. H. Mason, Mrs. Mason, A. F. Blair.

Albert.
Mrs. C. E. Kuhn, Mrs. P. E. Pyle, W. T. Todd, F. C. Livingston.

Churchill.
R. H. Anderson, E. A. Caddy.

Continental.
E. L. Guenther, E. W. Brown, Mrs. Brown.

Seville.
E. Knox, B. Harrison.

York.
T. H. Miller, G. R. Miller, G. W. Miller, Mrs. Miller.

Grand.
R. W. Brink, Mrs. Brink.

Astor House.
W. L. McCullough, W. J. Burns, Jr.

Ashland.
A. Batz, Mrs. Batz.

Hoffman.
G. H. Pierson.

Navarre.
J. P. McKelvey.

Victoria.
W. T. Carter.

Bristol.
F. P. McNulty.

Raleigh.
R. Press.

New Amsterdam.
W. Harrison.

Cosmopolitan.
M. K. Ferguson.

St. Denis.
H. Murphy.

Hotel Astor.
G. Schmidt, J. T. Marshall.

A POLITICAL CRIME

By JOHN E. DAY.

The Republicans of Prince George's county, Maryland, met the other day to elect delegates to the state Republican convention. The main interest in this gathering centers in the speech made by Congressman Mudd, who took occasion to discuss at length the proposed Poe amendment to the constitution of that state, to be voted on this fall, and which virtually disfranchises white as well as colored voters. The text for Congressman Mudd's speech was, no doubt, found in the resolution passed by the convention as follows:

"Resolved, By the Republican party of Prince George's county, in convention assembled, that it declares its unalterable opposition to the proposed constitutional amendment, through which, under a pretended necessity of relief from illiterate and corrupt negro suffrage, the right of suffrage of a larger number of white voters than the whole number of colored voters in our state may be placed in the hands of illiterate and corrupt election officers, and the exercise of that right generally rendered less secure than under existing law."

The Poe amendment is the natural sequence of the "negro domination" cry raised by Senator Gorman, and is more vicious than any of the repressive amendments adopted by any of the southern states. The purpose of the framers of the amendment is to disfranchise the whole body of the colored population of the state without regard to fitness or merit, which, of course, makes it a square violation of the Fifteenth amendment to the constitution of the United States. The provisions of the amendment are unique in the bold effort of the Maryland Democracy to smother the voice of a large majority of the voters in the state for the simple purpose of retaining power. The amendment among other things requires "That all persons hereafter presenting themselves for registration, in case of its adoption, shall be able to explain, under what is generally referred to as the 'understanding clause,' any provision of the constitution of the state which shall be, and when it shall be, submitted to them by the officers of registration in the city and in the various counties."

This is bad enough, but it is not all of the Democratic disfranchising scheme. Added to the requirements there is a single exception which states no person is required to have that "understanding" or to gain that "explanation" who voted in Maryland or other state of the Union prior to January 1, 1869 (just before the Fifteenth amendment to the United States constitution was put in force), or who has the ancestral qualification and distinction of being able to show that his father or his grandfather had the right to vote in this or any other state prior to that time. This is what is known as the "grandfather clause," by which a voter of the state under a plan which we are told is to promote intelligence in the exercise of suffrage is to stand, not upon his own merit or his own fitness for the franchise, but upon that of some dead ancestor, who may have been the most unfit person that could be found within the limits of Maryland or of the United States.

To this exception itself comes another and more far-reaching exception which shows the desperate character of the Democrats of Maryland, and that is, the above provisions and tests shall not extend to any applicant for registration, be he white or colored, who shall come of age after the year 1908. Addressing himself to these provisions of the Poe amendment the congressman very pertinently observed:

"I oppose that amendment because it places in the hands of the registration officers the power to see to it that there shall be no distinction made between the different classes and different character of colored people, as well as because, under the guise of relieving the people of the state of what its proponents are pleased to term the incubus of an irresponsible, ignorant and corrupt negro suffrage, it at the selfsame time and to the same extent, by its provisions as they are written, tampers with and jeopardizes the right of suffrage of a larger number of white men than the whole number of colored voters of this state and makes the exercise of the right to vote, as to white and colored alike who are bereft of this grandfather's patent of nobility, dependent upon the whim and the caprice of irresponsible, illiterate and, oftimes, if party exigencies shall require it, corrupt and dishonest election officials."

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A POLITICAL CRIME

By JOHN E. DAY.

The Republicans of Prince George's county, Maryland, met the other day to elect delegates to the state Republican convention. The main interest in this gathering centers in the speech made by Congressman Mudd, who took occasion to discuss at length the proposed Poe amendment to the constitution of that state, to be voted on this fall, and which virtually disfranchises white as well as colored voters. The text for Congressman Mudd's speech was, no doubt, found in the resolution passed by the convention as follows:

"Resolved, By the Republican party of Prince George's county, in convention assembled, that it declares its unalterable opposition to the proposed constitutional amendment, through which, under a pretended necessity of relief from illiterate and corrupt negro suffrage, the right of suffrage of a larger number of white voters than the whole number of colored voters in our state may be placed in the hands of illiterate and corrupt election officers, and the exercise of that right generally rendered less secure than under existing law."

The Poe amendment is the natural sequence of the "negro domination" cry raised by Senator Gorman, and is more vicious than any of the repressive amendments adopted by any of the southern states. The purpose of the framers of the amendment is to disfranchise the whole body of the colored population of the state without regard to fitness or merit, which, of course, makes it a square violation of the Fifteenth amendment to the constitution of the United States. The provisions of the amendment are unique in the bold effort of the Maryland Democracy to smother the voice of a large majority of the voters in the state for the simple purpose of retaining power. The amendment among other things requires "That all persons hereafter presenting themselves for registration, in case of its adoption, shall be able to explain, under what is generally referred to as the 'understanding clause,' any provision of the constitution of the state which shall be, and when it shall be, submitted to them by the officers of registration in the city and in the various counties."

This is bad enough, but it is not all of the Democratic disfranchising scheme. Added to the requirements there is a single exception which states no person is required to have that "understanding" or to gain that "explanation" who voted in Maryland or other state of the Union prior to January 1, 1869 (just before the Fifteenth amendment to the United States constitution was put in force), or who has the ancestral qualification and distinction of being able to show that his father or his grandfather had the right to vote in this or any other state prior to that time. This is what is known as the "grandfather clause," by which a voter of the state under a plan which we are told is to promote intelligence in the exercise of suffrage is to stand, not upon his own merit or his own fitness for the franchise, but upon that of some dead ancestor, who may have been the most unfit person that could be found within the limits of Maryland or of the United States.

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PICKED UP IN LOBBIES

Heavy Traffic Surprises Officers.

When the officers of railroads—men who are used to seeing heavy passenger travel and, of course, who are always well pleased to see it—say that they are almost astounded at the enormous amount of travel from this time for then who is a member of the "general public" to take cognizance of the fact that more people are traveling today than ever before in the history of railroad or any other kind of transportation. The railroad officers are in a quandary often to know just where to get the necessary equipment to handle this, that or the other lot of people going to some point resort for the day, to one of the hundreds of cool resorts up in Canada or starting toward the seashore for a stay by the waves of the ocean. And still the people continue to come along. One cannot step a good passenger agent from getting the business, and no general passenger agent will listen to complaints about equipment being short until the fact normally shows him to the face and he must make some arrangement for the transportation of several hundred people on short notice. Occasionally there are offerings of traffic that the passenger man feels down. Just yesterday afternoon there was a case of the kind, when the revenue that might have come from the hauling of several hundred persons was lost, and lost wisely, the railroad or steamboat people will tell you, because the following of those who sought to arrange for the trip was different from themselves; was of a class that would make the members want to do again until renovated by pretty thirteen years. But such instances are few, and the railroads take all that the passenger agents bringalong, and several thousand more people each day, who travel, regardless of passenger agents. They must travel. This is the regular class of travel, which is now heavier than in former seasons.

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Where the People Are Going.

Fishing camps with the banks of Canadian lakes, where the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh, the Pennsylvania or the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroads will carry possibly a hundred fishing "clubs," large and small, this year, fishing camps along the Chesapeake bay, where the Baltim

BETTER AIR IN CRIMINAL COURT

Commissioners Will Install a New Ventilating Plant for Quarter Session Rooms.

WATCHING THE JAIL SYSTEM

It is probable an entire new ventilating system will not be placed in the court house. While the matter has not been definitely decided the commissioners may confine the improvement in the ventilation to the criminal court rooms.

Commissioner Price has been giving the question of ventilation a great deal of attention. He finds it would be very expensive to put in a new system for the entire court house. The present air ducts are not large enough and to replace them throughout the building would cause a great deal of work.

The ventilation in the big criminal court rooms is very bad. Under the present system the air is changed every 25 minutes. The commissioners want to put in an apparatus which will insure a change in the air every five or six minutes. Plans are now being drawn and it is the desire to begin the work in time to have the system completed before the fall sessions of criminal court begin.

The $14,000 ventilating system at the morgue has not been got in running order. Commissioner Price said yesterday he had not paid any attention to the morgue plant since the recent test he had made. On that occasion the temperature in the building was over 100, the commissioner describing the morgue as a "pocket edition of ——." After a test of many hours, Mr. Price had to remove his coat and vest when he entered the building. He finally ordered the windows raised to give relief to the employes. The horses had to be removed from the building.

The ventilating system being installed in the new jail is closely inspected by Warden Edward Lewis. He says he wants a ventilating plant which will ventilate.

CITIZENS AIR TROUBLES.

Better Fire Protection and Street Car Service Wanted in Beechwood Boulevard District.

A mass meeting of the residents of the district lying beyond the Beechwood boulevard, embracing the territory from the Allegheny river to the outer Lincoln district, met in the Lemmington school house last night and discussed the possibilities of remedying the street car service, securing adequate fire and police protection and hastening the construction of the Lincoln avenue bridge.

Committees were appointed to confer with Director Bigelow, Supt. Murphy and Director Moore, which committees were to state that the entire district is without protection from fire, as the Larimer bridge offered the only means of transport to the engines, which would have to make a circuit of several miles over unpaved streets to reach the outlying districts of the Lincoln plan; the slowness of the car service, there being but two cars in operation on the eastern side of the bridge, permitting a 12-minute schedule.

The meeting was presided over by J. Irwin Green, and the following committees were appointed:

Committee on street car service, D. J. McKelvey, W. T. Beane, W. McNeilly, C. D. McShane, M. W. Petrie, H. C. Wintersill and J. Irwin Green. Committee in the interest of fire protection, car service and the early completion of the bridge, D. J. McKelvey, W. C. Thuma, W. McNeilly, F. R. Forrest, Dr. C. W. Anderson, A. Hodgson and J. Irwin Green. A meeting will be held Monday night to hear the reports of the committees.

CARLTON IN MORE TROUBLE.

Said to Have Drugged and Robbed Connecticut Man—To Examine Second Wife's Body for Poison.

NEW YORK, July 20.—Frederick E. Carlton, the death of whose wives is now being investigated by the police, and who was indicted a few days ago by the Kings county grand jury on a charge of grand larceny, was indicted by the New York county grand jury on the same charge made by Charles A. Goldsmith of Stamford, Conn. Goldsmith alleges that Carlton, whom he knew under the name of E. J. De Martinez, drugged him in a Park Row hotel in this city five years ago, and robbed him of money and jewelry to the value of $1,500. Goldsmith identified Carlton in the Raymond street jail yesterday.

The Brooklyn officials yesterday caused the disinterment of the body of Carlton's second wife, who died four months ago of tetanus. The stomach and other internal organs will be subjected to chemical analysis to determine whether or not they contain poison.

WOMAN WANTS HER JEWELS.

Alleges Frank Johnson Took Them in a Liberty Street Restaurant.

Frank Johnson was held for court yesterday by Magistrate Moke on a charge of larceny by bailee, on the information made by Mrs. Jane Bentley of 218 Fisk street, who alleges Johnston took four diamond rings from her, valued at $25, on Tuesday night. Mrs. Bentley says she was with Johnson in a Liberty street restaurant and handed him the rings for inspection. The latter refused to return them and kicked and beat her when she protested.

Johnson ran away, but was arrested Wednesday morning by Special Officers Denniston and Dunn. He returned three of the rings, but saying he only got that number. The woman, however, says there were four, and that the missing one is the most valuable. Johnson lives in Allegheny.

CAME BEFORE EXTRADITION TREATY WAS EFFECTIVE

HAVANA, July 20.—The attorneys of Alfred Buck, former cashier of the Mapleton, Minn., state bank, who recently was arrested on the Isle of Pines under the name of W. J. McGregor on the charge of defalcation, are endeavoring to secure his release because the prisoner arrived in Cuba before the extradition treaty with the United States became effective.

Death of Mrs. Eva Leaf.

Mrs. Eva Leaf, aged 81, widow of Carl Leaf, died Wednesday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mary Nelson, 522 Seddon avenue, North Braddock. She was born near Stockholm, Sweden, and came to Pittsburgh 30 years ago with her husband. For the past 20 years she had been a resident of Braddock, her husband being engaged in the mercantile business until his death, six years ago. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Nelson.

Major Hall Is Honored.

Major Harry Alvin Hall has been honored with the appointment of commander-in-chief of a committee of distinguished officers selected from all sections of the country to represent the military and naval order of the Spanish-American war at the ceremonies incident to the reception and burial of the body of John Paul Jones in Annapolis.

Discover New Anasthetic.

BERLIN, July 20.—Two German scientists announce the discovery of a new anasthetic, having all the virtues of cocaine without the latter's secondary ill effects. The new substance is called "allylpine." It deadens pain by local application and does not contain poison.

Think Thieves Used Wagon.

Thieves visited the general store of the Carnegie Steel Company at Oakdale early yesterday morning and secured merchandise valued at $200. The goods are supposed to have been hauled away in a wagon.

LAKE ERIE R. R.

Excursions { Ashtabula Harbor, $2.50 / Erie, Pa., $3.00 / Chautauqua, $3.00

Pittsburgh and Lake Erie Week-End Tickets reading to Chautauqua sold Friday afternoon and all trains Saturday. Ashtabula and Erie sold Saturdays and Sunday morning trains. All tickets valid returning until Monday.

See What a Penny Will Do when used for help and situations in Gazette Want pages.

DENIES RUMOR OF NEW COAL COMPANY PRESIDENT

Francis L. Robbins Says Report that John B. Finley Will Succeed Him Is Absurd.

A rumor circulated yesterday afternoon to the effect that John B. Finley, formerly president of the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke Company, who is expected to arrive here from Europe next week, would succeed Francis L. Robbins as president of the Pittsburgh Coal Company was firmly denied by Mr. Robbins.

"The officers and directors of this company are chosen by the stockholders," said Mr. Robbins, "and are subject to the annual election held in each February. There never has been any friction among the directors and officers of this company. They have acted and voted as a unit on all things. I can see no reason for any such rumor being circulated unless it be used to further the cause of some short interest in the stock."

John B. Finley sailed for Europe just one year ago and had repeatedly declared, previously, that he would henceforth abstain from active business.

GETS SHOWER OF SILVER.

Boxful of Valuables Pours Upon Sewickley Man While Walking Railroad Track Near Shields Station.

H. G. Darsie of Chestnut and Maple streets, Sewickley, was given a silver shower yesterday morning while walking along the Fort Wayne railroad tracks. The shower came as a complete surprise.

Mr. Darsie had reached a point near Shields station when train No. 25, a fast westbound mail and express, passed. Immediately there followed a cloudburst of silverware, consisting of a sterling silver cake dish worth $30, eight sterling silver plates worth $80, one sterling silver plate worth $5, three sterling silver candlesticks worth $15, nine silver plates worth $45, silver candlestick worth $7, silver sugar bowl worth $10 and a silver coffee pot worth $20. The box came with it and was addressed to "R. W. & Sons Manufacturing Company, Wabash avenue, Chicago." It was sent by R. Wallace of Wallingford, Conn.

Mr. Darsie turned the silverware over to the Edgeworth police, who notified the railroad detectives. Mr. Darsie insists that the box did not fall from the train accidentally and there is a suspicion that it was thrown off by some one who anticipated confederates along the track near Shields station. Mr. Darsie declares that there were several strangers in the vicinity at the time.

GOOD MILK IN M'KEESPORT, SAYS THE STATE INSPECTOR

Meat and Milk Inspector J. J. Murphy of McKeesport yesterday received a report of the investigation recently made by State Inspector E. D. Miller. Mr. Miller states that out of all samples of milk secured in McKeesport, but one was found to be adulterated, that one containing formaldehyde. Another sample taken from the same dealer proved to be all right, but a prosecution is to follow. Mr. Miller stated that the conditions in McKeesport were exceptionally good and congratulated the local inspector.

Bricks Fall on Workman.

Steve Lockoch, an employe of the Harbison-Walker brick works at Hays borough, met with a peculiar accident yesterday afternoon while pushing a wheelbarrow in front of him. The planks on which he was walking were about five feet above the ground and when he slipped and fell his weight drew the wheelbarrow loaded with bricks over the side of the planks. The bricks fell on him and he was badly cut about the face, hands, body and head.

W. M. LAIRD CO.

Another Great Oxford Sale

No need of description, everybody knows that every shoe we sell is

**Right in style,
Right in quality,
Right in Price.**

Black and Tan.

New lines in Women's Oxfords

$1.50 Oxfords at . .	$1.20
$2.50 Oxfords at . .	$1.65
$2.50 and $3.00 Oxfords at . . .	$1.90
$4.00 Oxfords at . .	$2.90
$5.00 and $6.00 Oxfords at . . .	$3.90

That embody all that a woman of taste desires in footwear, and gives the support and comfort to the foot that an Oxford must give—

In Men's Low Cuts

$1.50 Values at . .	$1.20
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That smart dressers will approve and lovers of ease will appreciate.

The above lines cover all popular Bright, Dull or Tan Leathers, and embrace many Manufacturers' Samples that are selling 33 per cent under value. The time to buy is NOW.

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404 to 408 Market St.

TO MAKE CARS FOR CUBA.

Middletown (Pa.) Works Get Contract Also for Rolling Stock to Be Used on Argentine Railroad.

NEW YORK, July 20.—(Special.)—The Middletown (Pa.) Car Works have secured a contract through their New York offices for 200 platform cars fitted with steel underframes, which are to be shipped to Cuba for use on the Cuba Eastern railroad. This road was recently placed in operation by the Cuba company, of which Sir William Van Horne is president.

The Middletown people have also been awarded a contract for several cars of similar design for the Ferro-Carril Central Norte (the Northern Central Railway), Argentine Republic.

TWO PERSONS ARE BITTEN BY SUPPOSED MAD DOGS

Two victims of mad dogs were reported to the police of Homestead yesterday. Officer Harry Shinton was attacked by an animal which is thought to have been suffering with rabbies, and his left leg was lacerated by the brute. The animal was later shot. Charles Lane of Munhall hollow, while on his way home, was set upon by a dog and was bitten several times on the right arm. Both had their wounds cauterized and will take the pasteur treatment at Mercy hospital.

ONLY WANTED PRESTIGE.

So He Gets a Quarter Cent a Year for Carrying the United States Mail.

WASHINGTON, July 20.—(Special.)—The postoffice department today issued a warrant in favor of Adriel L. Stuart, of Freedom, N. H., in the sum of 1 cent.

This is Stuart's pay for carrying the mails for four years, July 1, 1901, to June 30, 1905, from Freedom to a railroad station seven and three-quarter miles away. He travels this distance of 15½ miles six times a week. His pay is a quarter of a cent a year, or 1-312 part of a cent for one trip. This is the smallest treasury warrant ever issued and Stuart will have it framed instead of cashed. He bid this low figure because of the prestige which the sign "U. S. mail," on his wagon gives him in his passenger carrying business.

Always a Success.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Seashore Excursions of day coaches and parlor cars. The next one, July 27, leaves Pittsburgh at 8:35 a. m. Rate $10.00 in coaches, or $12.00 in Pullman cars when accompanied by usual Pullman tickets. Pullman accommodations can now be secured on application at this company's office, 250 Fifth ave., Pittsburgh.

Need Help Badly?

Read Gazette Want page today.

Women's Wash Suits and Gowns At Reduced Prices Friday and Saturday.
(Third Floor.)

Linen Coat Suits in white, blue, green and lavender.

The majority of the models are in the fancy short coat effects, such as "Frocks and Frills," Etons, etc.,

$9.50, $13.50 and $15.00.
Former Prices $12.00 to $35.00.

Shirtwaist Suits of Persian Lawns, Batistes and India Linons,
$5.00, $6.25 and $7.50.

A limited number of handsome Summer gowns
Persian Lawn "Princess" dress,
$22.50.
Value $35.00.

Figured Nets and Batistes,
$16.50 and $18.50.
Values $21.75 and $25.00.

McCreery and Company,
Wood Street at Sixth Avenue,
PITTSBURGH.

Important Sale of Men's Haberdashery on Friday and Saturday, July 21st and 22nd.

Negligee Shirts of Pongee, Cheviot or Madras. Plain or pleated bosoms. Attached or detached cuffs.
Sizes 13½ to 18,
$1.00 each.
Values $1.50 and $2.50.

Lisle or Cotton Half Hose. Plain Colors and Black or with embroidered figures, clocks and narrow stripes,
25c per pair.
Values 50c and 75c.

Four-in-Hand Cravats of Pongees, Crepes, Foulards, English Silks and embroidered or plain Washable Cheviots.
The widths, designs and colors are numerous,
25c each.
Values 50c and 75c.

Hemstitched Lisle and pure linen handkerchiefs. Plain colors,
25c each.
Value 35c.

Cambric and Muslin Night Shirts. Sizes 14 to 20,
60c each.
Value $1.00.

Madras and Cheviot Pajamas. Military collars, Pearl buttons,
$1.00 each.
Value $2.00.

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"Just Right" Clothes
For Men and Boys

July Sale
of Boys' "Just Right" Suits
Trade Mark.

One hundred and fifty Summer Suits. Norfolk, Eton, Sailor, Russian Blouse and Double-breasted models made of light weight fabrics in plain colors and fancy mixtures.
Sizes 2½ to 16 years,
$3.75 ..... Formerly $5.00
5.00 ..... " 7.50

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SAMPLE SALE FURNITURE

NOW GOING ON 10-20-30% OFF

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Another "Word Hunt" Next Sunday.

$50.00 IN PRIZES

For Four Words Selected From

NEXT SUNDAY'S GAZETTE

Rules and Conditions of the "Word Hunt."

The hunt consists of selecting four words from the advertisements appearing in next Sunday's issue of The Pittsburgh Gazette.

In selecting such words you are privileged to use each letter of the alphabet four times, but no more.

Each letter of the alphabet has a value in points, according to its location in the alphabet. For example, A is one point; B, two points, C, three points, etc. This would make the letter Z count twenty-six points.

The persons selecting the four words aggregating the greatest number of points (on the basis described above) will receive the prizes. We give below examples to demonstrate the difference in value of words. Take the word "Furniture."

6—21—18—14—9—20—21—18—5
F—U—R—N—I—T—U—R—E

It contains nine letters and represents 132 points, whereas, you take the word "Handkerchief."

8—1—14—4—11—5—18—2—5—9—5—6
H—A—N—D—K—E—R—C—H—I—E—F

It contains twelve letters, which only represent 92 points.

Answers must give the words selected, explain from what ad. they were taken and where the ad. is located in the paper. This is necessary to properly check the answers.

LIST OF CASH PRIZES

First Prize		$15.00
Second "		10.00
Two Prizes $5.00	each	10.00
Four Prizes $2.50	each	10.00
Five Prizes $1.00	each	5.00
13 Prizes		$50.00

After each word must be given the number of points it represents; at the bottom of the sheet the total of the points represented in the four words. Sign your name and address plainly.

Should two or more contestants be tied for certain prizes, such prizes will be distributed pro rata among such contestants.

Every person is eligible to enter the Hunt except employes of The Pittsburgh Gazette and members of their families.

All answers must be sent in on the blank form provided in The Sunday Gazette.

No contestant will be awarded more than one prize.

All answers must be in The Gazette office by 9:00 a. m. of the following Thursday.

Answers must be addressed to Manager "Word Hunt," The Gazette, Pittsburgh, Pa., and either sent by mail or delivered in person at our Business Office.

Any answer which does not comply strictly to the foregoing rules will not be considered.

Any points not covered in the above rules will be decided in an equitable manner by the Sunday Editor of The Gazette and the Manager of this contest.

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NOTICE—The Manager of the Hunt reserves the right to make any changes in the rules that he may deem necessary for properly conducting the contest. Be sure to read the rules next Sunday.

No Person Knows the Answer. It's Up to You.
Enter the Contest---You Have All to Gain and Nothing to Lose.

HAND SAPOLIO

FOR TOILET AND BATH

It makes the toilet something to be enjoyed. It removes all stains and roughness, prevents prickly heat and chafing, and leaves the skin white, soft, healthy. In the bath it brings a glow and exhilaration which no common soap can equal, imparting the vigor and life sensation of a mild Turkish bath. All Grocers and Druggists.

AMUSEMENTS.

LUNA PARK
Today—Afternoon and Evening
Government Indian Band
40 Musicians—All Indians.
2 Concerts—2 to 5 and 8 to 11 P. M.
LOCKHART'S TRAINED ELEPHANTS
4:30 and 10:30 P. M.
Sturant & Lavardo, High Wire Trapeze
8:30 and 9:30 p. m.
July 26—"Knights of Columbus Night."

SIGHT SEEING AUTOS.
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SHORTAGE RUNS SEVERAL YEARS

Sensational Testimony Given in New Castle Treasury Mystery and More Is Coming.

HANNA IS OUT $20,000

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]
NEW CASTLE, PA., July 20.—The councilmanic committee appointed to investigate the shortage of former City Treasurer Hanna held a session today, beginning at 9 o'clock and lasting the greater part of the day.

Miss Mina Miller, who was a clerk in Hanna's office, is represented by Attorneys C. H. Akens and R. K. Aiken. John McCandless, who was controller during the Hanna administration and who was last February elected treasurer himself, was on the stand the entire forenoon. He said he had known of the shortage since May, 1904, and had been apprised in 1902 of a default as regards the school funds. At that time, when he was elected controller, he said there was an apparent balance of $6,000 in Hanna's favor, but an audit disclosed the fact that he really owed the city $1,191. The amount was made good. McCandless said he had repeatedly spoken to Hanna about the shortage and had told him he must make it good. He supposed it had been done and did not learn all the facts until after Hanna's term had expired.

Made Oath to a Deficit.

In an affidavit last March Hanna stated that he was short in his accounts, but that he would borrow or make good the deficit. This paper was dated March 10 and was sworn before McCandless March 13, a short time before McCandless assumed control of the office. The deficit for that month alone was nearly $2,000. The entire amount now owing the city is more than $4,000, excluding the $15,000 in commissions belonging to Hanna himself.

At the afternoon session E. E. McGill, secretary of the Lawrence Savings & Trust company, in which the city funds were deposited during the Hanna administrations, was an important witness. He testified that on two occasions he had loaned Hanna money, $1,000 at one time. The amount of the other loan was not remembered as they were for short terms and no record had been kept of them. The loans were made some time in the winter. McGill said Hanna had deposited checks for large amounts drawn against the city funds, as had been testified to by Miss Miller. He said the only checks he had ever drawn were the ones he referred to in connection with the loans and when asked if Hanna could have done business in that way, he replied that he could not unless he had an account and he had none at that bank of a personal nature. He said the loan which had been made had been repaid the following day.

Checks Were Deposited.

Several deposit slips showing the deposit for checks for $800, $1,000 and $1,200 were offered in evidence, but McGill said he had not the least idea by whom they had been drawn. He was certain, however, that they were not Hanna's checks.

McCandless was again on the stand for more than two hours. He testified that there was a shortage in the school fund in the beginning of Hanna's term, but said this had been made up. He denied the existence of checks and checkbooks of which Miss Miller had told, and said he never knew of Hanna's making good the shortages by checks. According to a computation made by McCandless, the amount of the shortage is $4,171.84. This brings Hanna's loss above $20,000.

Another meeting of the committee will be held tomorrow afternoon at which time it is thought Hanna will testify. It is likely that disclosures of a sensational nature will be made.

The Death Roll.

Mrs. Eliza A. Devenny.

Mrs. Eliza A. Devenny, for 30 years a resident of Tenth street, McKeesport, died yesterday aged 82. Mrs. Devenny was a member of one of the best-known families in the city. She was born in Brownsville, where she spent her early life. Her parents were intimate with the family of James G. Blaine, whose parents are buried in the Brownsville cemetery, and beside whose remains Mrs. Devenny will be laid. Mrs. Devenny was a schoolmate of the late James G. Blaine, and a strong friendship between them lasted throughout the latter's lifetime. Arrangements have been made to ship the remains to Brownsville today for interment. The funeral services will be held at the Roman Catholic church at that place, conducted by the Rev. Father John Glenn. A special train will convey the body, family and friends of the deceased to Brownsville. The following sons and daughters survive: James L., John C., Mrs. W. D. Hepper, Margaret and Mary, all of whom reside in McKeesport.

George W. Smith.

George W. Smith, aged 67, a veteran of the civil war, died Wednesday afternoon at the residence of his sister, Mrs. Mary E. Lafferty, 414 Boggs avenue, Mt. Washington. He was born in Youngstown, O., but had lived in Pittsburgh 43 years. At the opening of the civil war he enlisted in Company F, the old Thirteenth, later the One Hundred and Second regiment, Pennsylvania infantry, and served throughout the war. He was a member of the Smith Presbyterian chapel, Smith's Station, Carrick borough, and is survived by his sister, Mrs. Lafferty, and two sons, David S. and Percy C. Smith.

Mrs. Rosina Freund.

Mrs. Rosina Freund, aged 76, widow of Philip L. Freund, died Wednesday morning at her home, 76 Walter street. She was born in Germany and came to Pittsburgh with her parents when 16 years of age. She is survived by one son, Philip L., of New Kensington, and eight daughters, Mrs. George Land, Mrs. George Oesterle, Mrs. Andrew Sauers, Mrs. Peter Sieger, Mrs. William Baumgarten, Mrs. Rose Maddock, Mrs. Max Mansman and Miss Laura Freund.

Mrs. John Fowler.

Mrs. Louisa Fowler, aged 27, wife of John Fowler, superintendent of the rod mill of the American Steel and Wire Company's plant at Braddock, died Wednesday night at her home, 34 North Holland avenue, Braddock. She is survived by her husband and one child, two brothers, William H. and Albert E. Jones of North Braddock; her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Jones, and two sisters, Mrs. William Gardner of Port Perry and Mrs. George W. Parker of North Braddock.

Mrs. Edna Morris.

Mrs. Edna Morris, aged 26, died Wednesday at the family residence, 4012 Perrysville avenue, Allegheny. She was the daughter of David and Elizabeth Polkinghorn, and was educated in the public schools of Allegheny, afterward becoming a teacher in the Fifteenth Ward school. She was married two years ago to Leander A. Morris. She is survived by her parents, two brothers, John of California and George of Bladensville, Pa.

Obituary Notes.

Judge Noah W. Cheyer, who has been prominent in the affairs of the national Prohibition party, died suddenly at his home in Ann Arbor, Mich., Thursday. He was aged 67 years.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wood, aged 77 years, is dead at the home of her brother, Samuel Wood, in North Union township, Fayette county. She is survived by her brother and one sister, Mrs. Mary Kincell.

Mrs. Cora McIlveen, wife of John H. McIlveen, teller of the Merchants Trust Company, died at Greensburg yesterday of typhoid fever. She was aged 35, and is survived by her husband and two small sons.

Peter Bell, aged 88, a pioneer of Trumbull county, died at his home in Southington, near Warren, Pa., yesterday. He was born in Mifflin county, Pa., and moved to Warren with his parents when he was five years old. He is survived by four daughters.

Thaddeus Krider, aged 32, employed by the Citizens Ice Company of Altoona, died at the hospital there yesterday from the effects of a piece of ice falling on him on July 8. Little was thought of the injury at that time, and he returned to work. On Friday he became delirious and rapidly became worse.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

Jarden Reynolds, Alice Frazier, John C. Schirra, Jr., Beatrice M. Lexy; John L. Masters, Margaret Kastner, all of Pittsburgh.

Charles Stitzsinkopf, Elizabeth Knorr; John Waldner, Tillie Vanders, all of Allegheny.

William Stevens, Mary B. Lewis, West Elizabeth.

Thomas P. McEwen, Fannie H. Sterling, Cincinnati, O.

Orrell D. Lehman, Shevaden; Mabel Steinbrook, McKees Rocks; Charles L. Dunna, Sharpsburg; Sadie V. Burke, Pittsburgh; John H. Hanna, Pittsburgh, Elizabeth C. Ray, Allegheny; Homer Jeffries, Wilmerding; Christina Lang, Allegheny; Robert D. McGee, McGees Mills; Effie D. Irwin, Allegheny.

NEWS OF THE NEARBY TOWNS AND COUNTRY

PROBERS OF SHORTAGE AT NEW CASTLE

1—David N. Keast. 2—City Solicitor J. A. Gardner. 3—Ex-City Treasurer Alex. C. Hanna. 4—Morris Cukerbraum, chairman of committee. 5—City Treasurer John McCandless.

OPPONENTS OF SENATOR ELKINS HOLD SESSION

But So-Called Insurgent Faction of West Virginia Republicans Is Quiet as to Plans.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]
WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, W. VA., July 20.—A meeting of the so-called insurgent faction of the Republican party in West Virginia was held today. It was called by State Senator Samuel Montgomery of Morgantown, and among the prominent politicians present were Senator O. S. Marshall of New Cumberland, Judge Reese Blizzard, J. W. Burchinal of Moundsville, Charles B. Smith of Parkersburg, Charles F. Teter of Phillippi and others who are opposing Senator S. B. Elkins.

In response to a query this morning the reply was sent out by the conference that it is not anti-Elkins or anti-anybody, but that its purpose is to try to get the Republican party out of a hole and to prevent the loss of any more congressional districts to the Democrats.

The sessions are secret and those who attended them disavow any purpose to select a candidate against Senator Elkins, but aver that they outlined plans for safer party management and against machine dictation. Another session will be held Friday morning.

MOVING AT YOUNGSTOWN.

Railroad Officials Looking Over Ground There for the Youngstown Southern Company.

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., July 20.—(Special.)—A party of Youngstown & Southern railroad officers and Youngstown capitalists were in the city today looking after matters connected with the extension of the railroad line from Columbiana to Lisbon and this city.

In the party were George Todd, Jr., chief engineer; John Stambaugh, R. C. Sleese, S. J. Dill and F. D. Wilkerson. Judge N. B. Billingsley of Lisbon, president of the Pittsburgh, Lisbon & Western railroad, accompanied them.

DR. BROWN IS DISMISSED.

No Longer Physician at County Home at Franklin—Commissioners Decline to Assign Reason.

FRANKLIN, July 20.—(Special.)—Dr. Frederick W. Brown has been notified of his dismissal as physician of the county home. The county commissioners decline to give any reason for the act. Dr. Brown, however, says it is the result of his refusal to comply with his instructions to visit the county home but once a week.

He says the majority of the inmates are old and diseased and need medical attention at least twice a week.

Governor Makes Appointments.

HARRISBURG, July 20.—It was announced at the state department today that the governor had made the following reappointments; Member of the state forestry commission, Miss Mira Lloyd Dock, Harrisburg; member of quarantine board, Philadelphia, S. L. Forward, Philadelphia; member of the board of examiners of expert accountants, Willis A. Booth, Pittsburgh.

Storm Severe at New Castle.

NEW CASTLE, PA., July 20.—Special.)—The storm which swept over this county last night did much damage. The barn of Solomon Dicks near Eastbrook was struck, burning to the ground. Dick's son and 3 hired man were stunned. The barn of Samuel Feree of Princeton was blown off its foundations.

His Money or His Life.

KENT, O., July 20.—(Special.)—Loren T. Boettler, aged 33, a wealthy young farmer and potato shipper, left an electric car coming from Ravenna to his home in Kent late last night, refusing to pay his fare twice. He was struck and killed by a later car.

Mine Worker Killed by Train.

NEW CUMBERLAND, W. VA., July 20.—Special.)—Harvey Whipple, aged 27, an employe of the Cleveland Coal company at its Marquet mines, was run over by an engine this morning and instantly killed, his body being cut in two.

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TWO ARRESTED, CHARGED WITH COUNTERFEITING

West Virginia Authorities Think They Have Men Who Put Spurious Half Dollars in Circulation.

CHARLESTON, W. VA., July 20.—Alfred Adkins and W. J. Silverthorn were arrested last night near Poco, this county, by Chief of Police Jarret and Special Officer Spradling of this city on the charge of counterfeiting and were lodged in jail here today.

They will have a hearing before Commissioner Thayer tomorrow. A large amount of spurious half dollars were put into circulation among local merchants by the two men, it is alleged. Adkins confessed today to having done part of the work.

COKE OVEN EXPLODES.

Backing Up of Water in Sewer Causes Trouble—Debris Scattered About, But No One Is Hurt.

LATROBE, PA., July 20.—(Special.)—A coke oven at the plant of the Latrobe Coal and Coke Company at Lloydsville exploded with a terrific report during the storm last evening. A sewer in the rear of the oven became flooded and the water backing up poured into the blazing oven, resulting in the generating of steam that burst the heavy masonry.

Bricks, stone and iron were hurled about and the yard was showered with tons of red hot coke. The workmen had all sought shelter and no one was injured.

Arrested on Murder Charge.

STEUBENVILLE, O., July 20.—(Special.)—Elisha McCort of St. Clairsville was arrested here tonight on information from Follansbee, W. Va., which charged him with the murder of a foreigner on the Panhandle railroad, near that place a year ago. The man was sandbagged and robbed and laid on the track for cars to kill.

Boy Safe Robber Confesses.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., July 20.—(Special.)—"Joe" Robinson, aged 14, was arrested today, charged with robbing the safe of Myron Pettitt Monday night. The boy confessed to having broken into the store with a companion and to have taken $17 out of the safe, which was on the half lock. They then spent the evening riding on street cars.

Required an Immense Deed.

UNIONTOWN, PA., July 20.—(Special.)—A deed of 50 typewritten pages was recorded today transferring about 1,500 acres of surface and coal land from the Johnson Mining company of Fayette City, to the Pittsburgh Coal company. The consideration named is $143,000.

DIED.

FOLEY—On Thursday, July 20, 1905, HERBERT GEORGE, son of William and Elizabeth Mandernack Foley of Bridgeport, Pa., aged 3 months.

Interment today at 4 p. m., Bridgeport cemetery.

DAVIS—On Thursday, July 20, 1905, at 3:40 p. m., SAMUEL, husband of Hannah Davis, in his 61st year.

Funeral from his late residence, Gaskill street, Mt. Washington, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

(Sharon and Johnstown papers please copy.)

DOUGHTY—On Wednesday, July 19, 1905, at 5:30 p. m., HENRY DOUGHTY.

Funeral services at his late residence, 344 Taylor street, Bloomfield, Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Services at the Valley Presbyterian church, Imperial, Pa., Saturday morning, at 10 o'clock.

(New Castle and Rochester papers please copy.)

HILF—On Tuesday, July 18, 1905, GUSTAVE M. HILF, beloved husband of Lydia Austen Hilf, in his 31st year.

Funeral services at his late residence, 507 Maria avenue, Avalon, this morning at 11 o'clock. Interment at Allegheny cemetery.

JOHNSTON—On Wednesday, July 19, 1905, at 12:15 p. m., BESSIE T., daughter of Al. and Sarah Johnston, aged 9 years.

Funeral services at the parents' residence, 48 Church street, Turtle Creek on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment at Church Hill cemetery. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

KNAPP—On Wednesday morning, July 19, 1905, at 4 o'clock, JAMES H. KNAPP, of Sewickley, Pa., aged 58 years.

Funeral Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock, at the chapel in Sewickley cemetery.

LEHMAN—On Thursday, July 20, 1905, at 8:30 a. m., REBECCA J. SLOAN, widow of Frederick Lehman, in her 81st year.

Funeral services at the late residence, 118 Barnett street, Allegheny City, at 2 p. m. on Saturday. No flowers please.

(Davenport (Ia.) papers please copy.)

NEIDHAMMER—On Wednesday, July 19, 1905, at 4 a. m., JULIA, wife of Frederick Neidhammer, in her 53d year.

Funeral services at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. A. Schiedenheim, No. 179 Marflower street, East End, on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

RAIBLE—On Tuesday, July 18, 1905, at 11:30 a. m., ANNIE L., wife of Max Raible, of 508 Grant avenue, Duquesne, Pa.

Funeral services Friday morning at St. Joseph's Roman Catholic church. High mass at 10 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

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CONSTABLE AND OTHERS CHARGED WITH BURGLARY

East Liverpool Woman Says Home Was Ransacked and Money Stolen in Search for Rioters.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]
EAST LIVERPOOL, O., July 20.—Charged with burglary and house breaking, a constable and three other well-known citizens of New Salisbury, mining hamlet in the southern part of the county, were brought here today. They waived a hearing before Justice McCarron and were bound over to the grand jury. The accused are Constable Alexander Hanlin, Frederick Grimm, Marion Barker and Lumen Melvin.

Mrs. Josephine DeCarlo alleges that on the night of May 30 they entered her house, held up her daughter at the point of revolvers, ransacked the place and robbed it of about $250 worth of money, jewelry and clothing. On that night there was a riot at the brick works in New Salisbury between Italians and Americans, in which Hugh Kane was shot. Several arrests resulted and Filipe DeCarlo, who was alleged to have taken part in the fight, is supposed to have been the object of the search at the DeCarlo home.

OFFICERS ARE CHOSEN.

Ministerial Conference of West District of Allegheny Chooses Latrobe as Next Meeting Place.

CONNELLSVILLE, July 20.—(Special.)—The ministerial conference of the west district of the Allegheny conference of the United Brethren church adjourned here today after a three-days' session.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, the Rev. S. W. Keister, Mt. Pleasant; vice president, the Rev. Dr. J. H. Pershing, Greensburg; secretary, the Rev. D. R. Wilson, McKeesport; treasurer, the Rev. T. W. Burgess of Pitcairn. The Revs. S. W. Kelser of Mt. Pleasant, W. L. Stahl of Everson and W. H. Spangler of Johnstown were appointed a committee to prepare the program for the next institute, which will be held in Latrobe next June.

Week-End Chautauqua Excursions Via Pennsylvania Railroad.

Special excursion tickets will be sold for afternoon trains every Friday, and all trains Saturday, to Chautauqua Lake, via Pennsylvania railroad, at rate of $2.00 from Pittsburgh and East Liberty, good to return until the following Monday, inclusive. These tickets will be sold to Chautauqua, Point Chautauqua, Bemus Point, Greenhurst, Celoron and Lakewood. Trains on Fridays leave Pittsburgh Union station at 1:10 p. m. and 11:00 p. m., and on Saturdays at 9 a. m., 1:10 p. m. and 11:00 p. m.

$2.00 to Cumberland and Return, Sunday, July 23rd.

Special train leaves Baltimore & Ohio station, Pittsburgh, 7 a. m.

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$2.00 for the Best Straw Hats

We usually have difficulty in getting enough of these $2 hand-made straw hats at all times.

During June we cannot get any at all.

The shop that makes these for us closes up for the season on July 5th and remains closed until late in August.

We persuaded the maker to run his shop one week longer than customary, and make enough of these excellent hats for our July and August trade.

The hats are here now and we've marked them all $2, although they are worth $3, and that is what we would have to charge for them if they came to us during May or June.

To make this sale as attractive as possible, we will include all of our $2.50 and $3 Straws in this $2 sale.

The nobby small shapes, the attractive medium and the sedate large shapes are all here in the fine smooth split, or the nobby rough Sennit straws.

All hats carefully conformed and deliveries made anywhere, without extra charge during this sale.

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$12.50 and $15.00 Figured Dimity and Organdie Dresses, **$8.50**—sizes 14 to 18 years.

$6.50 and $7.50 figured Lawn and Percale Shirt Waist Dresses, **$3.50**

$4.00 and $5.00 figured Lawn Dresses, **$2.50**—sizes 14 to 18 years.

$5.00 figured Lawn and Swiss Dresses, $2.50—lace trimmed—ribbon sashes—sizes 6 to 14 years.

The purpose of this 1905 shelf emptying is to make it the most complete in the store's history, and with that in view prices are brought down to astonishingly low notches.

Misses' $18.50, $20.00 and $22.00 Coat Suits, White and Light Blue Linen, Cream Crash—three-quarter length Coats, fitted or semi-fitted. **$12.50**

Misses' Wash Coat Suits, $5.00 to $25.00.

$37.50 Cream Serge and Mohair Jacket Suits, **$25.00**

Misses' Cream Mohair Suits, $10.00 to $25.00.

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Warm weather underwear for women and children—on examination of these garments at the prices you will be convinced that we mean to sell out the underwear.

Women's knit underwear, low neck, no sleeves, lisle—25c ones, 20c—12½c cotton vests, 10c.

Women's high neck, long or short sleeve vests, knee length drawers—65c ones, 35c—out sizes.

Union suits, low neck, no sleeves, umbrella knee—$1.25 ones, $1.00.

Infants' white cotton Wrappers, 10c—3 for 25c.

Children's union suits, high neck, long sleeves, ankle length—50c ones, 25c.

vacation togs

Men will find these two-piece Skeleton Homespun Suits cool and comfortable—price, **$10.00**—they're $15.00 and $18.50 ones—broken lines we're closing out.

Single and Double-Breasted Blue and Black Serge Skeleton Coats, $2.50 to $5.00.

White Duck Pants—regulation and peg top styles, $1.00 and $2.00.

Men's Auto Dusters—Linen, Khaki and Green and Tan Cotton Coverts, $2.50 to $5.00.

Lot of Dark Mix Suits for large size men—42 to 46 chest, $10.00—clearing out 15 and $18.50 ones for Ten Dollars.

Large sizes Coats and Vests, **$7.50** — $11.50 ones.

Boys' Play Suits—Military and Cowboy styles, 50c to $1.00.

Brownie Overalls, 25c and 50c.

Broken lots $1.50 Knee Pants, **$1.00**

Boys' 5 to 16 Tan Corduroy Suits, single and double breasted and Norfolk styles, knickerbocker pants, best kind of a suit to wear on a vacation, **$5.00**—they've been $6.50 up to now.

Riding Skirts—side or astride—correct cut—extra quality serge, $10.00.

Linen or Denim, $6.50.

white shirt waists

Time when it's not possible to wear anything so comfortable as a thin White Shirtwaist.

Shelf Emptying all surplus stock and just received a lot we bought of a maker who was Shelf Emptying.

Great time to buy White Shirtwaists and save money.

Fresh clean White Shirtwaists for **$1.00**—that ought to be $1.50—button back — square yoke made of a combination of tucks, lace and embroidery—all stylish details carefully followed.

Lot of Surplus $1.25 White Waists, **75c**
Lot $1.00 White Lawn Waists, **50c**
Lot $5.00 White Linen embroidered Shirtwaists, **$3.75**—$6.50 ones, **$4.50.**
Extra fine $7.50 and $8.50 White Shirtwaists, **$5.00**

new cottons

Five cases of fine new American Madras Gingahams at **12½c**

Just bought at full price because they were so good and pretty—and so many people want pretty new styles in the better grades for children's wear and the fine plain mixtures for shirtwaist suits.

Today 200 feet center counter filled with broken lines of 27-inch to yard wide Madras and Percales, two prices, 5c and 7½c.

Good domestic Cottons—both light and dark that thousands will be glad to get—and make an all day Friday Sale worth coming to.

new from Europe

There are always people who want late exclusive things.

Lace buyer just back from Europe.

Some exquisite things from Paris just landed.

Worthy of special mention are Chemisettes—hand embroidered on sheer handkerchief linen—prices $7.50, $8.50, $10.00 and $12.50 each.

Chemisettes so rare and beautiful that lovers of fine pretty things will be delighted to see.

Lace Aisle selling out the fine beautiful Robes, Waists, Coats, at prices that are doing effective work.

Ten-cent Cotton Torchon Laces and Insertions, 2 and 2½ inches wide, **5c**

Twenty-cent Val. Flouncings, 3 to 4 inches wide, **10c**

Lot of 75 and 85-cent Swiss and Nainsook Corset Cover Flouncings, 50c.

art department

Shelf Emptying with prices on desirable goods to sell them at once.

50c Cushion Covers, with backs, **25c**—Art Ticking—stamped and tinted for embroidering—popular and floral designs.

50c Dresser Scarfs, **25c**—White lawn centers with fluted ruffles of pretty printed lawn.

$1.25 Dresser Scarfs, **75c**—White Lace center—White Swiss ruffle with pin cushion piece.

White Linen Damask Centerpieces stamped for white and color embroidery—conventional and some coronation designs—35c ones, **20c**—50c ones, **25c**—75c ones, **40c**

Lot of new 27-inch Vassar or Shirt Waist Boxes—fresh, clean Cretonne covers—padded top—at a remarkable low price, $1.25 each.

The get-up of these, and the price will make a quick sale, so if you want any please be prompt.

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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

Department of Public Works,
City of Allegheny, Pa.,
July 20, 1905.

SEALED PROPOSALS—Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received at the office of the city comptroller until 10 o'clock a. m., Monday, July 31, 1905, for doing the following work:

For the building of a manifold system, sixty (60) inch steel pipe line and appurtenances at the Montrose pumping station.

Plans and specifications can be seen and all information obtained at the office of the superintendent of the bureau of water, second floor, city hall, Allegheny, Pa.

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ACTIVITY SHOWN STOPPING LEAKS

District Attorney May Order Arrest in the Cotton Report Scandal.

HEARING IS FOR NEXT MONDAY

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU
Room 10, Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, July 20.

There was great activity in the investigation into the bureau of statistics of the agricultural department on account of the leak of cotton crop reports today, and evidence was displayed in many directions that District Attorney Beach is making encouraging progress.

Mr. Beach returned from his trip to Boston and New York, and he had several interviews with Solicitor General Hoyt about the case. It is believed that the arrest of Edwin S. Holmes, Jr., may be expected at any time, and there are reports that there will be other prosecutions.

Richard Cheatham, secretary of the Southern Cotton association, also saw Mr. Beach and was in consultation with him for a long time. Mr. Cheatham is giving the government much assistance in its search for guilty persons in Secretary Wilson's department, and at the same time is doing all in his power to have the bureau of statistics reorganized so that its reports can be relied upon.

Representative L. F. Livingston of Georgia, arrived in the city today to take a hand in the investigation, having been sent for by the department of justice. Mr. Livingston has claimed for several years that the figures of the department were tampered with and that advance information was being regularly paddled by employes of the department to stock brokers and cotton gamblers.

Secretary Wilson has decided to give a hearing to a committee of the American Cotton Manufacturers' association, which was appointed at a recent meeting at Charlotte, N. C., and the hearing will occur next Monday. The cotton manufacturers are coming to ask that there be a new report on acreage.

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., July 20.—It is denied at the executive offices that the president has given any instructions to the Keep commission as to an immediate investigation of the department of agriculture. Nevertheless it is stated in the Washington dispatches the Keep commission may ultimately play an important role in the now inevitable reorganization of that department.

The commission's work is to examine all the government departments with a view of simplifying methods and abolishing unbusinesslike relics of traditional red tape. It is not unlikely that the question which is now under consideration by the administration of taking the gathering of crop statistics from the department of agriculture and giving it to the statistical bureau, will be decided by the Keep commission. If the change is made the crop report will come under the department of labor and commerce, of which the bureau of statistics is a part.

President Roosevelt today declined an invitation brought to Oyster Bay by Peter White, of Marquette, Mich., to attend the opening ceremonies of the new Sault Ste Marie canal on August 2 and 3.

KEENAN IS PRESIDENT OF PRESS CLUB ASSOCIATION

Two Other Pittsburgh Newspaper Men Are Honored With Offices—Next Meeting at Denver.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

DETROIT, MICH., July 20.—The International Association of Press Clubs today decided to hold its next convention at Denver, Colo. Binghampton, N. Y., and Wilkesbarre, Pa., were competitors of Denver for the honor. The following officers were elected:

President, Thomas J. Keenan, Pittsburgh; vice presidents, George H. Rowe, New York City; H. Starr Richardson, Philadelphia; Mrs. Ada Cable, Bradford, Pa.; John M. Hazlett, Pittsburgh; Thomas F. Junkin, Detroit; secretary, Lewis J. Early, Reading, Pa.; treasurer, St. George Kempson, New York City; members of executive committee, M. P. Curran, Boston; Edward Keating, Denver; George H. Bremner, Philadelphia; H. B. Lauffman, Pittsburgh; Alfred E. Pearsall, New York City; Dan L. Hart, Wilkesbarre, Pa.; Mrs. R. H. Fink, Philadelphia; Glenn H. Dickson, Binghampton, N. Y.; S. A. Dougal, Scranton, Pa.; Mrs. Belva M. Lockwood, Washington; A. C. Crouse, Toledo.

elegate George Brown of Detroit today gave notice he would introduce an amendment to the by-laws whereby the committee nomination of officers would be eliminated and the elections of officers be accomplished by general ballot of the delegates. The delegates tonight attended a banquet given in their honor at the Elks' temple.

Kansas Bank Closes Doors.

KANSAS CITY, MO., July 20.—The City National bank failed to open its doors today. The bank held paper of C. J. Devlin, of Topeka, to the amount of upwards of $100,000 and the failure is the direct result of the closing of the First National bank of Topeka, of which Mr. Devlin was the principal stockholder.

King of Spain to Visit Berlin.

BERLIN, July 20.—It is announced that the king of Spain will start for Berlin September 10.

RICHARD CHEATHAM,
Secretary of the Southern Cotton Association, Who Brought the Charges of Corruption in the Bureau of Statistics, Department of Agriculture.

SHONTS AND STEVENS SAIL FOR ISTHMUS

Former Says He Will Establish Club Houses for Men; Latter May Employ Chinese.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, July 20.—John F. Stevens, the newly-appointed chief engineer of the Panama canal, sailed today for Panama on the steamship Mexico. Chairman Shonts of the canal commission accompanied Mr. Stevens, who will assume control of operations immediately on arriving at the isthmus. Neither Mr. Shonts nor Mr. Stevens has visited the isthmus before. Mr. Shonts said he had heard many complaints regarding conditions on the isthmus but had paid no attention to them.

"The men down there," said he, "most of them, were misfits. There are men down there who have a just complaint, and that is that they have nothing to do but work. They have no amusements and no friends. Men 2,000 miles from home and under these conditions get homesick, of course. What they want is amusement, healthy games and outdoor exercise. In order to remedy this we will establish a separate department and we expect to establish club houses across the isthmus."

Mr. Shonts said arrangements have been made to carry on the work without any interruption whatever, should Mr. Stevens resign as chief engineer. Mr. Stevens, speaking of the possibility of Chinese labor being employed, said: "I have tried the Chinese in this country and found them good. I will try many experiments until we get the best kind of labor."

DR. PARK CLEARED OF JEWEL ROBBERY

NEW YORK, July 20.—Dr. Edward Park, the physician arrested in Norway as he disembarked from a steamer from America, and was there charged with the theft of about $25,000 worth of jewels which recently disappeared from the residence of J. J. Higginson of New York, today was cleared of all suspicion in connection with the theft. The warrant drawn for his arrest by New York police authorities and the application for extradition papers by the United States authorities were both withdrawn.

Autos Must Carry Lights.

Acting Superintendent of Police Kennelly yesterday ordered the inspectors of the five police districts to instruct their officers to watch out for automobiles not carrying lamps. A number of slight accidents have been reported to the police where machines have been run through the streets at night without lights. The police are ordered to arrest the driver of a machine not properly lighted.

RUSSIA WILL ATTEND CONFERENCE ON MOROCCO

Conditions Same as Those of Great Britain—Powers Getting Together on Features.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

PARIS, July 20.—Russia has given notice of her acceptance of the Morocco conference on the same conditions as Great Britain. A cable dispatch from Tangier July 16 said that the government of Great Britain had accepted the invitation of the sultan of Morocco to attend the international conference on Moroccan reforms on condition that the program to be discussed by the conference be communicated to it beforehand.

Premier Rouvier and Prince von Radolin, the German ambassador, conferred today on the details, time and place of the Moroccan conference. Indications point to the meeting taking place at Tangier, although San Sebastian, Spain, is urged by those wishing to free the conference from Moroccan influence. The Echo de Paris asserts that Assistant Secretary of State Loomis may represent the United States if the meeting takes place outside of Tangier.

In the course of the conference M. Rouvier made known the general lines of the international conference according to the French viewpoint, particularly as relates to French policy in giving financial aid to Morocco and in maintaining order and security in the country by a police system under French supervision. These exchanges are gradually bringing the parties together upon the essential features of the conference.

WANT TO OUST DR. LEE FROM HIS AVERY HOME

Alderman's Decision Is Against the Minister, But An Appeal Will Be Taken.

Another move was made in the controversy between the Rev. Dr. I. S. Lee, former pastor of the Bethel A. M. E. congregation of Wylie avenue, and that congregation when the present pastor, the Rev. W. S. Lowry, and Page Davis, a member of the congregation, brought suit yesterday before Alderman J. V. McMasters to have Dr. Lee ousted from the house occupied by him in Overhill street, which is owned by the Charles Avery fund for A. M. E. congregations.

The alderman ruled that Dr. Lee give up the house, and the case will be taken into court on appeal. The appeal will serve to establish a very important precedent bearing on the distribution of the Avery fund between Bethel congregation and the present charge of Dr. Lee, Trinity A. M. E. church.

During the split in the Bethel congregation, said to have been caused by the Avery fund, Dr. Lee and the majority of the congregation formed the Trinity church, and entered the Baltimore conference of the church. The matter was taken before the house of bishops, who ruled on the theological law governing the dispute and upheld Dr. Lee in associating himself with the Baltimore conference. His followers did not relinquish their claim on the Avery fund, under which Bethany church property is held, and Dr. Lee continued his residence in one of the Avery houses. The suit which was brought yesterday is expected to furnish a legal ruling on the apportionment of the Avery fund between the two congregations, and it is expected that the case will be bitterly fought, with the promise of sensational disclosures. Trinity congregation is now closing a deal for the purchase of a $6,000 lot upon which to build a $10,000 chapel.

JOHN HAYS' WILL FILED.

Widow of Late Secretary Receives Bulk of Property—Exact Value of Estate Is Not Mentioned.

WASHINGTON, July 20.—The will of John Hay, late secretary of state, was filed for probate today in the office of the register of wills for the District of Columbia. The beneficiaries are his widow and his brothers and sister. His brother, Leonard Hay, and his sister, Mary Hay Woolfolk, are given all of the property at Warsaw, Ill., and the sum of $25,000 each. His brother, Charles Edward Hay, is given $5,000 and Harwood Otis Whitney, of Keouka, Ia., $2,000.

All the rest of the property of all descriptions is left to his widow, Clara Stone Hay. Nothing is contained in the will to indicate the value of the estate. Payne Whitney and James Wolcott Wadsworth, Jr., sons-in-law of the deceased, are named as executors of the estate, and the request is made in the testament that no bonds shall be exacted.

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New Extension Seems Probable in the Pigeon Run District

In the lower southwest fields operators are grasping at anything that looks like an extension to some of the old developments. So little success has been attained in the discovery of strictly new pools that anything that looks favorable for extending some old pool, a few locations is acceptable.

On Pigeon run, West Union district, Doddridge county, the Russell Oil Company has made what is thought will lead up to an extension to the old West Union development. The well is located on the Frank Smith farm a mile west of the old pool and has been drilled through the Big Injun and is flowing 25 barrels a day through the casing and has not been shot. The well is located about two miles due north of West Union and is attracting the attention of operators.

In the old Wolf Summit field, on Rock Camp run, Sardis district, Harrison county, Judge Nathan Goff is again in luck. Some time ago he started No. 19 on his own farm and the well has just been drilled into the Gordon and at 18 feet in the sand the pay was struck and the well produced 65 barrels the first 23 hours. It had been more than three years since the judge quit active development work on his farm. The first wells completed on the farm were large producers.

In the Salem district, the same county, the South Penn company is finishing up some small pumpers. This company's No. 1 on the Clyde Bailey farm has been drilled 10 feet into the Gordon and the hole has filled 500 feet with fluid. The same company has completed and shot its No. 2 on the I. A. Carpenter farm and the hole has filled up 1,000 feet with fluid. It will make a small pumper. The same company has drilled its second test on the A. E. Davis farm into the stray sand 20 feet and has developed no oil or gas.

The Sigley Oil and Gas Company has drilled its test on the Thomas Williams farm through the Gordon and the hole has filled up 200 feet with fluid. It will make a very light pumper.

On its own lot in Weston, Lewis county, the Weston Electric Light Company has completed a duster in the fifth sand. On a branch of Polk creek, Freemans Creek district, Lewis county, the Preston, Knapp & Hoskins Carbon Company has made the location for a test on the Thomas Egnan farm. Nearly two miles east of Weston, on Town run, a branch of West Fork river, the Philadelphia Company is starting a test on the Lon Wilson farm. In the Smithfield district, Wetzel county, the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its No. 7 on the Samuel Cummings farm into the Big Injun 75 feet and has developed no oil or gas.

In the Elm Run district, Ritchie county, the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its No. 8 on the J. W. Marshall farm through the salt sand and will have an 8 or 10-barrel pumper.

In the Wick district, on Sugar creek, in Meade district, Tyler county, all of the late completions, except one, are showing for good producers. Browse, Proper & Campbell's test on the G. P. Myers farm is producing 93 barrels a day. Root & Duff Bros.' test on the W. C. Ash farm has been shot in the Big Injun and is showing for a 50-barrel producer. The Carter Oil Company's test on the Margaret Bullman farm is producing 50 barrels a day and has not been shot. The same company has drilled its second test on the James Pierpont farm through the Big Injun and has no show for a producer. It will be given a shot. The first test completed on this farm was a duster and the second is not likely to be any better.

In the Wick district the Melrose Oil and Gas Company's No. 13 on the T. H. Ewell farm is a good producer. It was drilled in last week and is producing 160 barrels a day. In the same district the Carter Oil Company's No. 4 on the H. C. Watson farm is holding up at 3175 barrels a day. Near Point Pleasant, Ellsworth district, Tyler county, the Southern Oil Company has drilled its test on the L. J. Meire farm through the Keener and has a duster.

Operators on the Ohio side are watching for the development of a new pool located in Weods county, and about one mile southwest of the Givens pool. The well that is attracting attention to that locality is the Unity Oil Company's test on the Charles Wheeler farm. It was drilled into the Big Lime yesterday and is showing for an 8 or 10-barrel pumper. This location is almost a mile from any producing wells and the owners think they are in a fair way to develop a new pool. In the Woodfield district the same company has drilled its test on the Paren heirs' farm through the Berea grit and has a duster. In the same district W. C. McBride has drilled his No. 4 on the Robert Cooper farm through the Berea grit and found that formation barren.

At Harrietteville, Noble county, N. S. Burton & Co. have completed their No. 6 on the Lavina Lovell farm and have a 35-barrel producer in the Buells run sand. In the Chester Hill district, Morgan county, J. E. Blackburn has completed his test on the S. R. Pierpont farm and has a duster.

In the Folks development, near Hopedale, Harrison county, Brown & Copeland have completed No. 6 on the W. P. Hanna farm and have a show for a 10-barrel pumper in the Berea grit. Near Amsterdam, in the same county, Wallace & Co. have completed their test on the H. Yingling farm and developed a slight show of oil and may make a small pumper. In the Plum Run district, in the same county, the National Oil Company of Titusville has completed No. 24 on the F. N. Donaldson farm and has a show for a 10-barrel pumper in the Berea grit. In the same district W. C. Kennedy & Co. have completed No. 8 on the Jane Clark farm and have a 3-barrel pumper in the same formation.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
July 19	88,507	July 18	85,243
Previously	1,163,317	Previously	1,074,345
Total	1,251,814	Total	1,159,588
Daily average	85,885	Daily average	84,422

LIMA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
July 18	57,432	July 18	70,642
Previously	997,080	Previously	786,555
Total	1,054,512	Total	857,197
Daily average	55,501	Daily average	47,622

The Oil Market.

The Standard Oil Company quotes the following prices for credit balances in the various fields: Pennsylvania, $1 27, Tiona, $1 43; Second Corning, 94c; North Lima, 90c; South Lima and Indiana, 81c, Somerset, 85c; Ragland, 81c; Canada, $1 25.

TOLEDO, O., July 20.—Oil—North Lima, 86c; South Lima and Indiana, 81c.

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Akron and Cleveland	* 8.00 am	* 3.25 pm
Akron and Cleveland	* 9.00 am	* 4.00 pm
Wheeling and Cleveland	* 9.00 am	* 4.00 pm
Cleveland and Toledo	* 9.00 am	* 4.00 pm
New Castle and Youngstown	* 9.00 am	* 4.00 pm
New Castle and Erie	* 9.00 am	* 4.00 pm
Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 9.00 am	* 4.00 pm
Mingo Valley Express	* 9.00 am	* 4.00 pm
Akron and Cleveland	* 9.00 am	* 4.00 pm
Fort Wayne and Chicago	* 9.00 am	* 4.00 pm
Wheeling and Buffalo	* 9.00 am	* 4.00 pm
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Akron and Akron	* 9.00 am	* 4.00 pm
Akron and New Castle	* 9.00 am	* 4.00 pm
Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 9.00 am	* 4.00 pm
Cleveland and Buffalo

THE PIRATES CONTINUE ON THEIR WAY TO THE PENNANT

KEEPING UP THE WINNING STREAK

Pirates and Quakers Could Only Play One Game and It Is Taken by Clarke's Men.

RAIN STOPS SECOND GAME

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

PHILADELPHIA, July 20.—A heavy rainstorm this afternoon caused 9,183 Quaker rooters to be buncoed. The announcement of two games for one admission brought out this big crowd, but when the first was completed with the score 7 to 5 in favor of Pittsburgh, the flood gates were opened and during the next 20 minutes the field was transformed into a quagmire. Tomorrow the teams will again attempt a double-header, which should mean another big crowd, so the rain was welcome today from at least one standpoint—the box office.

There was considerable batting in today's game. Pittsburgh being fortunate in taking two good falls out of Corridon, while the Phillies only had one good fling at Philippe. Manager Duffy was slow to act in the matter of changing pitchers. Corridon was bumped hard enough in the first inning to warrant retirement, but he was not taken out until after another bombardment in the third. Then sparks was substituted and did much better.

Nine hits, producing six runs, were recorded against Corridon, while only four hits and one run due to an error, were charged against Sparks. Philippe held the Phillies without a hit for three innings, but the fourth proved his undoing. He was battered for six singles, which produced five runs, but with better base running it would have been six. Mike Lynch relieved Philippe in the fifth and blanked the Phillies during the remainder of the game.

Umpire Klem, receiver of beer bottles at New York, made his appearance on the field here today and there was a constant howl from the players and spectators. He put two Philadelphia players out of the game for trivial offenses. Courtney was benched for protesting against a bad strike in the fifth, and Sparks was put out of the game after being called out on strikes in the ninth.

Between the games the crowds surged out on the field and after the rain there was a large gathering around the home team's bench where Nolan was waiting to announce the postponement of the second game. The crowd grew rather hostile and policemen were forced to surround the umpire when he appeared on the field to do his duty.

The Pittsburgh team was again changed about somewhat, Ritchey being back in his old position at second base, which allowed Leach to return to center field. Both played good ball. Hans Wagner surprised the spectators by the way he was fielding all over himself at short. Although only one error was charged against him the big Teuton fumbled almost everything he got his hands on and appeared very clumsy. He also fanned once on three easy balls pitched by Sparks. Davy Brain and Howard were the whole show at the bat, the former getting a hit every time up, including a triple and three singles, while Howard got three singles and was the victim of one of Klem's poor third strike calls the other time. Brain also played a nice game at third, stopped Bransfield's scorching grounder in the eighth as though it was a mere tap instead of a drive which would almost take a leg off a fielder.

The most sensational play of the game was Roy Thomas' catch of Philippe's drive toward the flagpole in center in the third inning. It was the windup of the bombardment of Corridon. Though when the ball left the bat it looked like a sure-enough two-bagger, Thomas made a lively sprint toward the flagpole, and, stretching his left hand down within a few inches of the ground, gathered in the ball, although he took a headlong slide in the grass after making his desperate effort.

Clymer started the game with a clean drive to right. Bransfield dropped Gleason's assist to Fred Clarke and Leach went out on a fly to Thomas. Doolin made a splendid stop back of third of Wagner's hot one, but could not field the ball to first in time to get the runner. This filled the bags, and Howard caught one of Corridon's slow ones for a single. Clymer got in, but Clarke was nailed by Titus' good throw to the plate. Brain sent Wagner home with a single to center. Ritchey flied to Gleason. It was one-two-three for the Phillies in their half, and both sides went out in this manner in the second.

Corridon continued using his slow ball in the third and Pittsburgh continued to get hits. Clarke singled and Leach beat out a bunt. Wagner's attempt to sacrifice resulted in Leach being put out at second. Howard poked the ball into left for a base, sending in Clarke. Brain's drive rolled to the clubhouse, both Wagner and Howard scoring, while Brain stopped at third base. Corridon took Ritchey's fly, but Gibson hit to left for two bases and Brain tallied. Thomas then nailed Phillippe's drive with one hand and received an ovation as he walked to the bench.

The Phillies started to solve Phillippe's delivery in the fourth. Gleason and Courtney singled and a pass to Titus filled the corners. Magee left one too hot for Wagner to hold, which allowed Gleason to score. Phillippe seemed to have Bransfield sized up properly, as "Kitty" swung hard on two easy fosters. There was considerable luck connected with his next effort. It was a pop fly just out of Phillippe's reach, and Bransfield got credit for a base hit. Courtney scored on it. Doolin's long fly to Clymer sent Titus home. Abbott drove in Magee with a single to center. Bourke hit safely to right, filling the bases again. Thomas forced Sparks at second, but Ritchey's attempt for a double play failed and Bransfield scored. Ritchey handled Gleason's grounder in great shape, and the batting rally ended.

The Phillies only had one other chance to score again in the seventh, when Gleason and Doolin singled. But Magee could only get a long fly to Leach. Pittsburgh tallied one more in the eighth on singles by Howard and Brain, the latter's hit going through Magee, allowing Howard to score.

Pittsburgh	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philade'a.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Clymer, r..	1	2	2	0	0	Thomas, m.	0	1	4	0	0
Clarke, l..	1	1	0	0	0	Gleason, 2..	1	2	2	2	0
Leach, m..	0	1	4	0	0	Courtney, s.	1	1	0	2	0
Wagner, c.	2	2	1	2	4	Doolin, 3....	0	1	0	0	0
Howard, 1.	2	3	12	0	0	Titus, r.....	1	0	1	1	0
Brain, 3....	1	4	1	2	0	Magee, l....	1	2	1	0	0
Ritchey, 2.	0	0	5	3	1	Bransfd, 1.	1	1	7	0	1
Gibson, c...	0	1	3	0	0	Doolin, c..	0	0	3	2	1
Phillippe, p	0	0	0	0	0	Abbott, c...	0	1	6	0	0
Lynch, p..	0	0	1	2	0	Corridon, p.	0	0	1	1	0
						Sparks, p...	0	1	1	3	0
						*Kruger	0	0	0	0	0
Totals....	7	12	27	13	1	Totals.....	5	9	27	9	3

*Batted for Corridon in the third.

Pittsburgh	2	0	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	—	7
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	—	5

Left on bases—Pittsburgh 6, Philadelphia 8. Stolen base—Titus. Two-base hit—Gibson. Three-base hit—Brain. Sacrifice hits—Clarke, Ritchey. Double plays—Doolin and Bransfield; Wagner and Howard. Hits off Corridon 8 in 3 innings; off Sparks, 4 in 6 innings; off Phillippe, 6 in 4 innings; off Lynch, 3 in 5 innings. Struck out—By Sparks 4, by Phillippe 1, by Lynch 2. Bases on balls—Off Sparks 1, off Phillippe 1, off Lynch 1. Time of game—2:35. Umpire—Klem.

Chicago 3-4—Boston 1-5.

BOSTON, July 20.—Honors were even in today's games, Chicago winning the first 3 to 1 and Boston the second 5 to 4. Reulbach, in the first game, pitched a strong, heady game, while Young was hit harder than any time this season on the home grounds. Wicker started to pitch for Chicago in the second game, but gave way to Lundgren in the fifth inning. Scores:

Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Abbatc'o, s.	1	1	2	2	1	Slagle, m...	0	3	2	1	1
Tenney, l..	0	0	3	2	0	Hoffman, r.	0	0	1	6	0
Dolan, r....	0	1	3	0	0	Schulte, l..	1	1	2	0	0
Delfanty, 1.	0	0	11	1	0	Chance, 1...	0	1	13	0	0
Wolverton, 3	0	1	0	1	0	Tinker, s...	0	0	1	2	0
Cannell, m.	0	1	2	0	0	Evers, 2....	0	1	2	4	1
Raymer, 2..	0	0	1	0	0	Casey, 3....	1	1	1	2	0
Moran, c....	0	0	8	1	0	O'Neill, c..	1	2	5	1	0
Young, p...	0	0	1	2	1	Reulbach, p	0	1	0	1	0
Totals....	1	5	27	8	2	Totals.....	3	10	27	13	2

FIRST GAME.

Chicago	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—	3
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—	1

Three-base hit—Schulte. Sacrifice hits—Tenney, Tinker. Stolen bases—Tinker, Evers. Double plays—Casey, Evers and Chance; Tinker and Chance. Left on bases—Boston 4, Chicago 7. First base on balls—Off Young 1, off Reulbach 1. First base on errors—Boston 2, Chicago 1. Struck out—By Young 5, by Reulbach 2. Time of game—1:25. Umpire—O'Day.

SECOND GAME.

Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Abbat'o, s..	1	2	4	4	0	Slagle, m..	1	3	4	0	1
Tenney, l..	1	2	2	1	0	Hoffman, r.	0	1	1	0	0
Dolan, r....	0	0	0	0	0	Schulte, l..	0	1	2	0	0
Delfanty, 1.	0	0	9	0	0	Chance, 1...	0	1	9	0	0
Wolver'n, 3	2	1	0	0	0	Tinker, s...	0	2	1	2	1
Cannell, m.	0	1	4	0	0	Evers, 2....	0	1	4	1	0
Raymer, 2..	0	0	1	3	0	Casey, 3....	3	1	3	2	2
Moran, c....	0	2	6	2	0	Kling, c....	0	1	1	4	0
Wilhelm, p.	1	0	0	1	0	Wicker, p...	0	0	0	1	0
						Lundgren, p	0	1	1	2	0
						*M'Cart'y	0	0	0	0	0
Totals....	5	8	27	11	0	Totals.....	4	15	27	12	5

*Batted for Lundgren in the ninth.

Boston	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	1	—	5
Chicago	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	—	4

Two-base hits—Cannell, Slagle, Casey. Sacrifice hits—Kling, Dolan 2, Cannell. Stolen bases—Cannell, Raymer. Double play—Wilhelm, Moran and Tenney. Hits off Wicker, 6 in 4 innings; off Lundgren, 9 in 5 innings. Left on bases—Boston 1, Chicago 5. First base on balls—Off Wilhelm 3, off Lundgren 1. First base on errors—Boston 3. Struck out—By Wilhelm 3. Time of game—1:47. Umpire—O'Day. Attendance 2,346.

Brooklyn 2—Cincinnati 1.

BROOKLYN, July 20.—Brooklyn defeated Cincinnati in a close and exciting game today by bunching three hits in the fourth inning after two men were out. Cincinnati's only run was scored on a wild throw by Lewis, the ball going into the right field stand. Lewis had 18 chances at shortstop, but his good work was marred by five errors. Score:

Brooklyn.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Cincinnati.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Hall, m....	0	1	1	0	0	Huggins, 2..	0	4	1	7	0
Sheckard, l.	1	0	1	1	0	Barry, l.....	0	2	12	0	0
Lumley, r..	0	0	1	0	0	Kelly, l.....	0	2	1	0	0
Batch, 3....	0	0	0	1	0	Sebring, r..	0	1	0	0	0
Gessler, f...	1	1	13	1	0	Corcoran, s.	0	1	4	3	0
Lewis, s....	0	0	0	7	5	Odwell, m..	0	0	0	0	0
Maloy, 2....	1	3	2	6	0	Steinfdt, 3.	0	1	0	1	0
Bergen, c..	0	1	2	6	0	Schlei, c....	1	0	6	2	1
Strickett, p	0	1	0	2	0	Overall, p..	0	0	0	2	0
						*Bridwell ..	0	0	0	0	0
Totals....	2	8	27	23	7	Totals.....	1	7	24	16	1

*Batted for Overall in the ninth.

Brooklyn	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	*	—	2
Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—	1

Two-base hit—Kelley. Three-base hit—Schekard. Sacrifice hits—Schlei, Bergen, Sheckard. Stolen bases—Batch 2, Gessler, Bergen. Double play—Lewis to Gessler. Left on bases—Brooklyn 9, Cincinnati 12. First base on balls—Off Strickletl 4, off Overall 5. First base on errors—Cincinnati 5. Hit by pitched ball—By Strickletl 1. Struck out—By Strickletl 1, by Overall 6. Passed ball—Schlei. Time of game—2:09. Umpire—Emslie. Attendance 1,500.

New York 7-2—St. Louis 4-1.

NEW YORK, July 20.—McGraw's men won both games of today's double-header from St. Louis by superior batting. The fielding features of the day were the work of Shannon in left for the visitors. The scores.

FIRST GAME.

St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	New York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Shannon, l.	0	1	3	0	0	Browne, r..	0	1	5	0	0
Arndt, 2....	0	0	7	6	0	Donlin, m..	1	3	1	0	0
Smoot, m...	1	2	1	1	0	M'Ginn, l..	1	1	9	1	0
Beckley, 1.	0	2	7	2	0	Mertes, l....	0	2	1	0	0
Duni'vy, r.	0	0	1	0	0	Dahlen, s...	0	0	3	4	0
M'Bride, s.	0	0	1	1	2	Devlin, 3....	0	1	2	1	0
Gessler, f...	1	1	13	1	0	Gilbert, 2...	0	0	2	3	1
Leahy, c....	0	0	0	2	0	Bow'man, c	0	1	7	1	0
Egan, p.....	0	0	2	4	0	Witte, p....	0	0	1	2	0
Totals....	1	6	24	18	2	Totals.....	2	8	27	12	1

New York	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	—	2
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—	1

First base on errors—New York 1, St. Louis 1. Left on bases—New York 6, St. Louis 5. First base on balls—Off Witte 5, off Egan 1. Struck out—By Witte 1, Three-base hit—Smoot. Two-base hits—Browne. McGann. Sacrifice hit—McGann. Double plays—Devlin, McGann and Gilbert; Gilbert, Dahlen and McGann; Arndt and Beckley. Hit by pitched ball—By Witte 1, by Egan 1. Umpire—Johnstone. Time of game—1:25. Attendance 3,000.

JOHNSTOWN IS BEATEN.

Loses Hard Fought Game at Lancaster, York Beats Harrisburg.

LANCASTER, July 20.—Lancaster today defeated Johnstown in an exciting game 7 to 5. The home team's victory was due to a timely three-bagger by Rothfus in the eighth inning when the bases were full. Washer was knocked out of the box in the sixth inning and replaced by Barger, who pitched in fine style. Attendance 800. Score:

Lancaster.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Johnstown.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Rothfus, r.	1	2	3	0	0	Melchoir, r.	0	0	4	0	0
Mauch, s...	1	1	1	2	0	Martin, 3...	0	0	0	3	0
Lord, 2....	0	0	3	0	1	Atherton, 2.	1	2	1	2	0
Sylvester, 3	0	0	1	1	0	M'Con'll, 1.	1	1	4	1	1
Killheffer, 1	1	0	3	0	0	Badel, l....	1	1	3	0	0
Baker, l....	1	2	4	4	1	Bowser, m..	1	2	1	1	0
Barber, c..	1	0	8	0	0	Hagen, s....	1	2	3	1	1
Farrell, m.	1	0	0	1	0	Murphy, c..	0	1	8	1	0
Washer, p.	0	0	3	0	0	Good, p....	0	1	0	1	3
Barger, p..	1	1	0	0	0						
Totals....	7	6*	28	8	2	Totals.....	5	10	24	5	6

*Melehoir out; hit by batted ball.

Lancaster	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	3	*	—	7
Johnstown	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	—	5

Earned runs—Lancaster 2, Johnstown 4. Two-base hits—Atherton, Bowser, Hagen, Badel. Three-base hits—Rothfus, McConnell. Sacrifice hits—Baker, Bowser, Hagen. First base on errors—Lancaster 3, Johnstown 2. Stolen bases—Mauch 2, Routhfus, Baker. Left on bases—Lancaster 10, Johnstown 8. Double play—Mauch to Baker. Struck out—By Washer 2, by Barger 6, by Good 5. Bases on balls—Off Washer 1, off Barger 1, off Good 7. Hit by pitched ball—Hagen, Atherton. Wild pitches—Good 2. Umpire—Laird. Time of game—2:20.

At Coatesville—	R.	H.	E.
Coatesville	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	—	6	15	4
Altoona	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	—	5	11	3

At Wilmington—	R.	H.	E.
Willilmasport	0	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	—	6	9	1
Wilmington	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—	1	5	0

At York—	R.	H.	E.
Harrisburg	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	—	3	8	2
York	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	*	—	4	9	1

Somerset Wins in the Tenth.

SOMERSET, PA., July 20.—(Special.)—Somerset baseball team defeated the Ursina Humbert aggregation from the south of the county here today 2 to 1. Both teams belong to the Somerset County Baseball league and played good ball. Somerset scoring her winning run in the last half of the tenth inning after two men were declared out. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Somerset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—	2	5	1
Ursina Humbert	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—	1	3	2

Uniontown Goes to Defeat.

MT. PLEASANT, PA., July 20.—(Special.)—The Keystone A. C. of Mt. Pleasant won from the Uniontown A. C. in a 15-inning game. Some parts was loosely played. The pitching of Witt was the feature. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Keystone A. C.	1	0	0	4	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—	9	9	5
Uniontown	0	0	1	3	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—	8	9	6

Steubenville Beats Cannonsburg.

CANONSBURG, July 20.—(Special.)—Steubenville gave the locals a drubbing here in a twilight game tonight, winning in 10 innings to 0 to 2. The home pitcher, Hartford, pitched well against great odds, as he was not supported at all, errors losing the game. Score:

Steubenville	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	—	5	7	0
Canonsburg	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	—	2	7	6

Loughridge Wins a Close Game.

Loughridge A. C. defeated the fast Junction A. C. team yesterday at L. A. C. grounds. The pitching of Maier and the base-running of Capple for L. A. C. and the pitching of Klancy for Junction were the features. Score:

Loughridge A. C.	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	—	5	
Junction A. C.	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	—	1	2

Wrestler's Kick Proves Fatal.

SHARON, PA., July 20.—(Special.)—Blake Aarons, son of J. T. Aarons of South Sharon, died in the hospital last night from the effets of a kick received while watching a wrestling match. When one of the wrestlers was thrown his foot struck young Aarons, who was standing close to the contestants.

BOSTON AGAIN TWICE BEATEN

Cleveland Wins Four Straight in Two Days—Pitchers' Are Given Their Bumps.

MANY MOGULS PRESENT

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CLEVELAND, O., July 20.—Cleveland again won two games from Boston, making four in two days. The locals won the first game by bunching its hits with Boston's errors. In the second game Cleveland's errors were very costly. Cleveland hit Dineen hard in the first inning and he was wild in the sixth when Carr's three-base hit cleared the bases. After that Dineen was easy.

The games were witnessed by Garry Herrman, president of the National commission; Ban Johnson, president of the American league; Harry Pulliam, president of the National league; F. T. Powers, president of the Eastern league; Judge Kavanaugh, president of the Southern league; J. H. Farrell, president of the New York State league; Tim Murnane, president of the New England league, Charles Morton, president of the Protective Association of Independent Baseball Clubs, and other celebrities. Attendance 7,622. Scores:

FIRST GAME.

Cleveland.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Jackson, l..	1	0	6	0	0	Selbach, r..	0	1	1	0	0
Bay, m.....	1	2	2	1	0	Parent, s....	0	1	2	2	2
Vinson, r..	0	1	2	0	1	Burkett, l..	0	1	0	0	1
Kahl, 2.....	0	0	4	2	1	Collins, 3...	0	0	1	0	0
Bradley, 3..	1	1	1	3	0	Stahl, m....	1	1	5	0	0
Turner, s..	1	1	1	1	0	Freeman, l.	1	1	11	0	0
Carr, l.....	2	2	11	1	0	Ferris, 2....	0	0	1	4	0
Bemis, c....	1	2	6	0	1	Criger, c....	1	2	3	1	0
Moore, p....	0	0	1	4	0	Young, p....	0	0	0	1	0
						*Grinsham..	0	0	0	0	0
Totals....	7	9	27	12	3	Totals.....	3	7	24	9	3

*Batted for Young in the ninth.

Cleveland	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	*	—
Boston	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	—

First base on errors—Cleveland 1, Boston 1. Two-base hits—Bradley, Criger, Freeman. Three-base hit—Turner. Sacrifice hit—Vinson. Stolen base—Carr. First base on balls—Off Moore 4, off Young 1. Hit by pitched ball—Jay Young 1. Left on bases—Cleveland 4, Boston 8. Struck out—By Moore 3, by Young 5. Wild pitch—Young. Time of game—1:45. Umpire—Connor.

SECOND GAME.

Cleveland.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Jackson, l.	1	1	1	0	0	1	Selbach, r..	0	1	1	0	0
Bay, m.....	0	0	1	1	0	Parent, s....	1	0	0	1	1
Vinson, r...	1	1	3	0	0	Burkett, l...	0	0	4	0	0
Kahl, 2.....	2	1	2	2	0	Collins, 3...	1	1	1	1	0
Bradley, 3..	2	2	1	2	1	Stahl, m....	1	2	2	0	0
Turner, s..	1	0	1	3	2	Freeman, l.	1	1	0	6	1
Carr, l.....	0	2	8	0	1	Ferris, 2....	0	1	1	2	0
Buelow, c..	0	0	11	0	0	Armb'ster, c	0	1	7	0	0
Hess, p.....	1	1	0	1	0	Dineen, p...	0	0	1	2	0
Totals....	8	8	27	10	3	Totals.....	4	6	21	7	1

Cleveland	2	0	0	0	0	2	1	2	*	—	8
Boston	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—	4

First base on errors—Cleveland 1, Boston 2. Two-base hits—Kahl, Jackson, Armbruster 2. Stahl, Collins. Three-base hits—Carr, Bradley. Home run—Hess. Sacrifice hits—Bay, Parent, Burkett. Stolen base—Stahl. Double play—Bay and Buelow. First base on balls—Off Hess 3, off Dineen 1. Hit by pitched ball—By Hess 1, by Dineen 1. Left on bases—Cleveland 4, Boston 11. Struck out—By Hess 8, by Dineen 6. Wild pitch—Hess. Time of game—2 hours. Umpire—Connor.

Detroit 7—Washington 6.

DETROIT, July 20.—Detroit was given a ten-inning contest this afternoon by Washington, and won 7 to 6, not one of the local runs being earned. Kitson and Jacobsen were hit hard. Doran batted for Kitson in the tenth inning and drove in the winning run by his two-bagger. Attendance 1,400. Score:

Detroit.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Washing'n	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Cooley, m..	0	0	1	1	0	Cassidy, s..	1	2	3	7	0
Schaefer, 2.	1	1	1	2	0	Hill, 3.....	1	2	0	2	1
M'Intyre, 1	1	2	8	0	0	Hickman, 2.	0	1	6	3	2
Crawford, r	1	2	0	0	0	Anderson, r	2	3	0	1	0
O'Leary, s.	2	3	0	2	4	0	Huelsman, l	0	2	2	0	0
Cough'n, c.	2	0	0	1	3	0	Stahl, 1.....	1	1	10	1	1
Lindsay, 1.	1	2	14	0	0	Jones, m....	0	0	2	1	1
Drill, c....	0	0	3	2	0	Haydon, c..	1	2	4	0	0
Kitson, p...	1	0	0	7	0	Jacobson, p.	0	1	0	2	0
*Doran	0	1	0	0	0						
Totals....	7	11	30	19	0	Totals.....	6	14*	28	18	6

*Lindsey out; hit by batted ball. †Two out when winning run was scored.

Detroit	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	1	0	1—7
Washington	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	3	0	0—6

Two-base hits—Hickman, Hayden, Stahl, Huelsman, Doran. Three-base hit—Schaefer. Sacrifice hits—Hickman, Jacobson, Coughlin. Stolen bases—Schaefer, Crawford, Cassidy, Stahl. Bases on balls—Off Jacobson 6. Hit by pitched ball—By Kitson 1. Left on bases—Detroit 9, Washington 6. Struck out—By Jacobson 2. Double play—Hickman, Cassidy and Stahl. Passed ball—Haydon. Wild pitch—Jacobson. Time of game—2:39. Umpire—Connolly.

Chicago 6—New York 4.

CHICAGO, July 20.—Chicago broke its losing streak today by defeating New York in a hotly contested finish 6 to 4. The game was all in favor of New York until the eighth inning, when the locals rallied and by bunching hits scored three runs. Attendance 2,840. The score:

Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	New York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Green, r....	2	3	2	0	0	Conroy, l...	2	2	4	0	0
Holmes, l...	0	2	1	0	0	Keeler, r....	1	2	3	0	0
Davis, s....	0	0	1	3	1	Elberf'd, s..	0	0	2	1	0
Donohue, l.	1	2	1	6	2	0	Williams, 2.	0	0	4	2	0
Isbell, 2....	0	1	2	2	0	Yeager, 3...	0	1	0	1	1
Jones, m....	1	0	1	0	0	Fultz, m....	0	0	1	0	0
Sullivan, c.	1	0	3	0	0	Powers, l...	0	0	6	0	1
Tan'hill, 3..	1	2	0	4	0	M'Guire, c..	1	0	4	4	0
Owen, p....	0	1	1	6	0	Hogg, p....	0	0	0	2	0
Totals....	6	11	27	18	1	Totals.....	4	5	24	14	2

Chicago	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	3	*	—	6
New York	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	0	—	4

Left on bases—Chicago 7, New York 2. Two-base hits—Yeager, Conroy, Keeler, Isbell. Sacrifice hits—Davis, Elberfeld 2, Keeler. Stolen bases—Sullivan, Donohue, Green. Struck out—By Owen 2, by Hogg 5. Bases on balls—Off Hogg 3. Time of game—1:26. Umpires—Sheridan and McCarthy.

HICKEY'S TEAM BEATEN.

Gets a Good Start at Braddock, but Fails to Hold It.

Burgess Hickey's Millvale team went to Braddock to play the Edgar Thomson team of that place and after knocking one pitcher out of the box and getting a lead of five runs, the latter were beaten in the contest, the score being 7 to 5. The game was a loosely played one and each side made errors which counted in the run column. Hughes started in for Braddock and was touched up for five hits and four runs in three innings, and Brookmiller went in with one down in the third inning and Millvale was unable to score another run in that inning. Burgess Hickey's team played fine ball until the fifth inning when an error let in a run, the other of which was earned, and in the sixth inning another error was responsible for a run. Kinsey was performing for Millvale and he pitched nice ball until the innings mentioned, when he was touched up lively. Score:

| E. T. W'ks. | R. | H. | P. | A. | E. |

CHILDREN FIGHT AGAINST MOTHER

In Big Estate Even a $2 Sale of Barrels Was Objected to by Heirs.

TRUSTEE GETS OVER $43,832

Judge Hawkins yesterday appointed the South Side Trust Company as trustee for $43,-832 30, the proceeds from the sale of property of the late Augustine Haller, whose children filed exceptions to the account of their mother, claiming she failed to properly account for many items in the estate, including a lot of barrels, for which she credited $2, when they said it should have been $17 50; for $14 65 for sale of a cider press, when they claimed a larger sum was received, and for many other items, including $8 interest on a note. This appointment ends a bitter family fight over the estate, in which four of the children were determined to surcharge their mother for every little item they could find. Attorney John L. Ralph represented the estate.

Augustine Haller was a wealthy resident of Green Tree borough and owned large property interests in that borough, in the Thirty-sixth ward of Pittsburgh and in McKeesport. When he died he left a will in which, other than a few items of personal property, he gave the widow power to sell and dispose of the property and to use the funds received during her lifetime, and at her death the estate was to be divided, share and share alike, among six children: Joseph F. Haller, Samuel P. Haller, Emma M. Haller, Mary A. Fourdr, William A. Haller and Eulalia A. Haller.

Objections Filed by Children.

The widow, Philomena M. Haller, sold some of the property and purchased certain other interests in McKeesport. When she filed her account some of the children objected to Joseph Haller having charge of certain portions of the property and believed he was being favored. They consulted Attorneys Frank I. Gosser and John O. Petty, who filed exceptions to the mother's account on behalf of Samuel, William, Mary and Eulalia. They accused her of not charging herself with money received in excess of the inventory filed. These items included those above mentioned, together with one bay horse at $50, which they claimed was sold for $75. They also claimed she had not charged herself with personal property, which was itemized, and included clocks, chairs, rugs, etc. They excepted to the $1,000 fee of Attorney Ralph. They claimed many items were charged below their actual value and asked for a schedule of the prices received. They also claimed she had not charged herself with more than $60,000 received from the sale of property in McKeesport.

Judge Hawkins dismissed the exceptions, but surcharged Mrs. Haller with $300 attorney's fees. The appointment of the trust company to look after the funds in accordance with the will closes the controversy unless an appeal is taken.

An injunction has been granted at the suit of the Pennsylvania Baptist state convention, restraining the Pennsylvania Baptist state convention colored, from using that name. The plaintiff is an unincorporated association and the defendant is chartered. The latter was organized after a convention of the former held in Pittsburgh in 1903, at which there was a dispute over appropriations.

Want a Half Holiday.

A preliminary injunction, returnable tomorrow morning, was granted against Journeymen Horseshoers' union No. 219, McKeesport, restraining the officers from interfering with William Hughy or the plant of the McKeesport and Youghiogheny Ice Company. The petition was presented by the latter company. It avers that on August 11, 1904, it made a five-year contract with Hughy to work as a blacksmith. He was a member of the union and the union knew of the contract. On July 1 a committee of the union solicited him to break his contract and induce him to cease working for the company.

This, the company alleges, has caused it inconveniences and loss, and it also alleges that the committee and certain master horseshoers have entered into an agreement that if the union gets Hughy away from the ice company horseshoers and repairmen will be given a half holiday.

William Murphy and John Cahill were convicted of entering a building and sentenced to Huntingdon reformatory. James Kelly and Harry Krist, tried with them, were acquitted.

G. W. Allen was found guilty of stealing a dress suit case. Allen made a plea to the court not to be sentenced at present, as he wished to take his wife, who was ill, to the country. His request was granted, and Allen will appear before the court July 23 for sentence.

An order was made transferring George Parker from the Western penitentiary to Dixmont. Parker was sentenced to serve eight years in the penitentiary for robbery in June, 1902, and showed signs of insanity soon after being confined in that institution.

Salvatore Barroto has sued Luigi Maure for $5,000 damages, alleging slander. Barroto says the defendant said the plaintiff had killed a man in Boston.

No Evidence of Fraud.

An opinion was filed by Judge Frazer refusing to set aside the sheriff's sale and open the judgment in the case of the Westmoreland Guarantee Building and Loan association against John A. Willihy, an action involving a mortgage of $2,000. The court says there is no allegation of fraud set up, nor anything from which such reference could fairly be drawn.

Maria Taubner has sued Valentine Kohler for $5,000 damages for alleged breach of promise to marry. On August 22, 1904, she says, she agreed to marry him on October 6, 1904, but she says he did not do so, and on May 9 of this year married Eva Pardon.

Equity proceedings to restrain W. A. Gavin from working for any other laundry have been entered by the Eclipse Laundry Company. They claim to have a contract with him.

Lillie McCoy and other creditors filed a petition in bankruptcy against Arthur T. McCoy and Chester P. McCoy, trading as McCoy Brothers.

An execution was issued for $20,353 in the proceedings of Laura P. Mellon, for use of Charles C. Mellon, against E. Walter Alderman, with notice to George W. Sherman. The proceedings are on a judgment bond for the payment of a mortgage of $18,000 on Lincoln avenue property. Other executions were: W. W. Gordon et al. vs. William Magelson et al., $51; Ella F. Kennedy vs. John G. Smith, $1,000; National Insurance Company of Allegheny vs. Alexander Albitlus et ux., $5,555; James W. Drape vs. William H. Sheets, $557; Jacob Haney vs. Orville E. Lysle et al., $1,92.

A suit in assumpsit was entered by Thomas A. Noble against Charles Donnelly and Frank F. Nicola. No statement has been filed.

SUSPENSION OF MAYOR IS MADE PERMANENT

HAVANA, July 20.—The government has decided that the suspension of Mayor Juan O'Farrill be made permanent. The Fusionists are protesting against his removal without a hearing. Mayor O'Farrill was suspended by Gov. Nunez on the allegation that the investigation of the mayor and aldermen, begun over a year ago, had developed probable offenses by the mayor in loose conduct of municipal affairs.

Serious Disorders in Spain.

MADRID, July 20.—Serious disorders have occurred at Seville and Salamanca arising from the general distress. Four hundred farm laborers invaded Seville, looted the bakeries and shops and committed other depredations. A mob stormed the city hall at Salamanca, broke into the building and sacked it. A member of the municipal council jumped from a window and was killed.

Official Breach Charged.

BERNE, SWITZERLAND, July 20.—Diplomatic circles here are interested in an incident concerning the American Minister Bruins J. Clay and the French Ambassador M. Rainiro, in which the former alleges a breach of the usual etiquette in the exchange of official visits. The question has been submitted to the state department and the French foreign office.

Always a Success.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Seashore Excursions of day coaches and parlor cars. The next one, July 27, leaves Pittsburgh at 8:55 a. m. Rate $10.00 in coaches, or $12.00 in Pullman cars when accompanied by usual Pullman tickets. Pullman accommodations can now be secured on application at this company's office, 239 Fifth ave., Pittsburgh.

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PRINCE POTEMKIN FORSAKES THE COUNTRY OF THE CZAR

Descendant of Catherine's Favorite Sells His Estates in Russia and Comes to America to Begin His Life Anew.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, July 20.—Disheartened over the future of his own country and believing in the ideals of the United States, Prince Potemkin, a descendant of the Prince Potemkin for whom the Prince Kniaz Potemkine, the warship captured by mutineers, was named, and who won the Crimea for Catherine the Great when he was her chief adviser, has abandoned Russia and come to seek his fortune in this country. With the proceeds from the sale of his estate in the form of drafts and letters of credit, he arrived on the Bretagne and has gone west to purchase a ranch, on which he hopes to work out his destiny under conditions more agreeable to him than those of his native land.

Although he had the equivalent of $25,-000 with him, he arrived in the steerage and got his first impressions of the United States through Ellis island. He was not, however, detained there, after his identity and circumstances became known, and he lost no time in starting for the point he had already determined on as his future home. Its exact location he declined to make known, though he described it as meeting all of his ideals.

His purpose in coming here in the steerage, he explained, was two-fold. Mainly he sought to save the difference between a steerage and first or second class passage, as he feared even $25,000 would not be any too much to start life in this country, but he was also anxious, he said, to study the conditions of Russian and other immigrants on their way to this country.

Prince Potemkin announced himself as a follower of Tolstoy. He said he had become convinced there was little prospect of improvement in conditions in Russia. Determining that in this country he would find more than anywhere else the opportunity for freedom of thought and action, he said he had sold his property for $25,-000, of which $10,000 went to pay debts, leaving him the $25,000 that he brought with him.

The prince is 35 years old, tall and broad-shouldered, with a pleasant face. When he arrived he was attired in the typical Russian costume of a long coat, drawn in by a belt at the waist, and high Russian boots. He speaks French and German fluently, but English only imperfectly.

BOY'S CONFESSION OF BRUTAL CRIME

Italian Lad But 13 Years Old Is on Trial Charged With Murder.

HIS STORY IS READ TO JURY

Judge McClung is presiding over one of the most unusual murder cases ever tried in the county. Joseph Carmecini, who, if the testimony of friends and relatives is to be believed, is but 13 years old, was placed on trial in criminal court, charged with stabbing Guiseppi Folo to death on Nansen street, Hazelwood, on November 19. Both are Italians, and boarded together on Hazelwood avenue. Leonwhile Carmecini stabbed him, and who is held as an accessory, was granted a severance when the case was called, and will be placed on trial this morning.

Part of the testimony which was introduced against the prisoner is a written confession, giving details of the crime, which was made by Carmecini after his arrest, and which was read to the jury. The alleged confession, which, it is claimed, was secured from Carmecini at Central station, was read by Police Stenographer Sydney McBride on the witness stand. McBride stated that there were present when the confession was made Inspector Milton Bailey, Detective Charles Aymer, who acted as interpreter.

Carmecini, in the confession, stated that Folo, Geduli and himself had been drinking together, and that Folo and Geduli had quarreled, the latter charging Folo with stealing $20 from him the night before. Folo left them and started down through the darkness along Nansen street, saying he was going to Carnegie. Before he had gone far Geduli asked Carmecini to follow Folo, and they caught up with him near Flowers avenue. Geduli held Folo's arms and Carmecini plunged his knife into Folo's body five times. He then threw the knife away and both ran to their boarding house and went to bed.

The confession was objected to by the defense, but was allowed to be introduced. Detective Aymer and Inspector Bailey testified as to Carmecini making the confession, and the prosecution closed, after calling half a dozen witnesses, who testified as to the boys following Folo on the night of the murder.

Attorney W. M. Benham for the defense rested his case after calling a brother of the prisoner and several friends, who testified that he was not 14 years old. Attorney Benham, in his address to the jury, attacked the confession and the methods that he said had been used to secure it. Assistant District Attorney W. D. Grimes made the address for the prosecution, and asked for a first degree verdict. Judge McClung's charge was brief, and the case went to the jury at 4 o'clock. After waiting an hour the jury had failed to reach a verdict, and court adjourned.

DOINGS AT ATLANTIC CITY.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., July 20.—(Special.)—Atlantic City took its accustomed place as the coolest spot in the country again this morning, when the temperature dropped twelve degrees making the beach and boardwalk a place of pleasure for the big crowd of visitors, first instalment of the Sunday rush.

Trains in sections are bringing thousands of Pittsburgh excursionists into the resort tonight and Pittsburgh will be well represented among the bathers and strollers tomorrow.

John Carroll, a Harrisburg youngster, here with his parents, trusted himself to an air bag in the surf this morning and was swept out into deep water before he put his feet down and learned that he was over his depth. The lad's screams sent the life guards scurrying out in a boat and the boy was landed with no more damage than that caused by swallowing salt water.

A line of 'busses carrying bathers from their homes to the beach has raised the ire of the bath house men who see their fortunes of past years dwindling under the competition of others who are after some of the thousands formerly paid into the coffers of the bath house barons.

Mrs. S. C. Davis and William P. Davis have joined the Pittsburgh contingent at the shore. L. F. Shields and Mrs. Shields registered at one of the big hotels today for a lengthy stay. Rev. John Hackett and Rev. W. A. Miller, well-known Pittsburgh divines, are spending a two weeks' vacation at the Chetwood.

Other Pittsburgh visitors registered during the day were:

Chetwoode—J. Hackett, P. H. McCarthy.
Elwood—I. C. Schuyler, Mrs. Schuyler.
Dennis—Carl M. Gage, Mrs. George F. Gage, Mrs. E. A. Miller, Miss Helen Miller.
Fredonia—N. H. McDonald, Mrs. McDonald, J. Bowman, D. C. Battle.
Chester Inn—G. W. Johnson, Miss K. Lauler.
New Holland—D. F. Laubach.
Netherland—H. B. Epps.
Loraine—Edith M. Halloway, Miss A. Anderson.
Young's—J. D. Cobb, C. B. Compton.
Roanoke—C. R. Kimmel, Mrs. Kimmel, I. Kimmel, G. Kimmel.
Dockhart—A. P. Butler, Mrs. Butler, Miss Butler.
Shelburne—R. H. Kohler, F. A. Wright.
Braxton—D. H. Shoemaker, Mrs. M. D. Shoemaker, J. W. Ward.
Revere—D. T. Smith, Mrs. Smith.
Runnymeade—P. A. Barrett, Mrs. Barrett, H. T. McDowell, Mrs. McDowell.
St. Regis—C. Capper, Mrs. Capper, C. E. Baxter, Mrs. Baxter, Mr. D. Medkeff, Mrs. M. B. Jewell, R. H. Jewell, Mrs. Rockwood.
Abbey—Miss A. R. Ford, E. E. Ford, A. E. Ford, I. H. Brooks.
Wallingford—Mrs. T. E. Whelmer.
Colyton—C. Hunter, J. C. Carroll and Miss G. H. Carroll.
Pennhurst—Mrs. S. C. Vantrunk, I. D. Vantrunk, M. P. Nagle, E. V. Nagle, F. Nagle, Miss Groves.
Arlington—C. S. Child, Mrs. A. T. Hahn, Miss Lee, A. S. Fletcher, Miss E. Scott, Mrs. G. J. Vanhouston.

PARK AUTOS A SUCCESS.

Pittsburghers Taking Advantage of Opportunity to See Beauties of Their City.

The big sight-seeing autos operated by the Park Auto Co., which have been running for nearly two weeks have proven a decided success. On account of the poor driving between the court house and Schenley park and the other places of interest visited, the autos now start from the Library entrance to Schenley park. A waiting station has been established at Adams' shoe store, Fifth avenue and Grant street, from where guides will escort parties to the park, paying their fare on the trolleys and seeing that they are comfortably placed in the mammoth autos. Trips leave the entrance to Schenley park at 10:15 a. m., 4:15 p. m. and 7:15 p. m. Therefore the guides will escort the parties from downtown, leaving precisely at 10, 4 and 7. For $1.00 each any number of persons can take a nice, cooling two hours' ride in these autos, which pass through all the most beautiful spots in and about Pittsburgh, covering approximately 18 miles during the entire trip. Guides ride in the autos for the sole purpose of pointing out to patrons the various points of interest en route.

SHONTS MAKES NO COMPLAINTS

He Gave Up Five Hundred for "Fads and Fancies" and Has No Regrets to File.

JUDGE DEUEL GOT SOME CASH

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau,
Herald Building, Herald Square.
NEW YORK, July 20.

Acting District Attorney Gans, after consultation with Assistant District Attorney Krotel, who is conducting the investigation into the Town Topics charges, announced this afternoon that as the result of an examination by Mr. Krotel of the Town Topics Company it was found that since 1901 Judge Deuel had been drawing $1,200 a year from the publishing company, with the exception of the first year, when he received $1,000. Whether this money was paid to him for legal services or for literary supervision the books did not show, and Mr. Gans was unable to state.

Pending the arrival of District Attorney Jerome, who is at Lakeville, Conn., no further action will be taken by the district attorney's office so far as further examination of the books is concerned.

Theodore P. Shonts, chairman of the Panama canal commission, explained this afternoon how he came to contribute $500 for "Fads and Fancies."

"Col. Mann is a friend of mine," said Mr. Shonts, "so when a solicitor came to me for a subscription to the book I gave the money, not because I particularly wanted the book, but because I thought it would help out my old friend Col. Mann. The solicitor said that he did not suppose the book was worth the $500, but that the money would help us out.

Tickled Mr. Shonts.

"The amount I gave I believe was only $500. The amount published is correct. I have not given the matter any consideration since I gave the money."

"When do you expect the book will be published?"

On hearing this question Mr. Shonts laughed for some minutes and seemed to consider even a thought of the book being published as the greatest of jokes.

Assistant Deputy District Attorney Paul Krotel and an accountant from the district attorney's office visited the office of Town Topics today and spent an hour in examining the books. All obstacles to such examination had been removed.

The investigation bore specially upon an entry which would show that Judge Deuel had received $1,000 from the company.

Judge Deuel had admitted he received such an amount from the sale of "Fads and Fancies."

Books Are Given Up.

When Mr. Krotel entered Town Topics office he met W. L. Daniels, secretary and treasurer of Town Topics, and work was at once begun, as Mr. Daniels produced the books wanted.

Giovanni P. Morosini, the banker, who was subpoenaed to appear before the grand jury today, sent word to the office of the district attorney that he was ill and could not appear.

In today's issue of Town Topics an article is printed in which it is denied that Ahle, the solicitor, ever had anything to do with the company. The action of Edwin M. Post, who caused Ahle's arrest, is commended and called "a service of value and goodly influence." The article ends with the following sentence:

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"What was the cause of your trouble?" she was asked.

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"Did you have a doctor?"

"Yes. I was under the care of a physician for some time, but I finally gave him up because his treatment did me no good.

"My stomach was in bad shape and I had smothering sensations. At such times my body seemed bloodless, my hands were like chalk and my face turned yellow. The doctor said I had dyspepsia in the worst form. Then my nerves gave way and I was completely prostrated. At night I could not sleep, and in the daytime if I bent over to pick up a rug the smothering sensation would come on at once."

"How did you find a remedy?"

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On the Beach at Virginia ave. SPECIAL RATES—$10 to $15 weekly; $2 to $3 daily. 100 ocean view rooms overlooking Boardwalk; private baths, etc. Hotel faced by beautiful lawn. Built of brick, stone and steel. Service and cuisine the best. Booklet. Coach at trains.
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Directly on the beach. Hot and cold water in every bedroom. Rooms en suite with sea water baths. Elevator, etc. Capacity 400. Booklet.
S. M. HANLEY.

EARL-MAR HALL
Fireproof. Elegant and modern; directly on the ocean front at Vermont ave. Unobstructed ocean view. Capacity 150. Orchestra music. Special terms, $10 up weekly. Every modern appointment. Complete system of baths. 'Phone in rooms; suites with baths. Booklet. L. J. BROWN.

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On the Beach at Virginia Ave. Hot and cold sea water in all baths. Special rates to July 15th, $2.50, $3 and $3.50 per day; $15, $17.50, $20 and $22.50 per week. Booklet mailed.
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Pacific and Illinois ave. Open all year. Heated, modern conveniences, superior table and service; special rates $2 up daily; $10 up weekly.
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Directly on the Beach Front. Hot and cold salt and fresh water in every bath. Long distance 'phones in rooms. Orchestra of soloists.
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Formerly the Champlaine. Kentucky ave. at Beach. $3.00 daily; $18 weekly. Capacity 200.
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Directly on the Beach front, with 250 large cool rooms commanding an ocean view. Fresh and sea water in all private and public baths. The most extensive porches of any resort hotel. Orchestra, casino, with tempered sea water swimming pool; bowling alley and other amusements connected with hotel. Special July and season rates. Lyman J. Watrous, Mgr. Chas. B. Prettyman, owner and proprietor.

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MARYLAND AVE. AND THE BEACH.
ONE BLOCK FROM STEEL PIER.
Splendid ocean front rooms. Brand new in every particular. Excellent family hotel. White service. Capacity 250. Rates $2 to $3.50 daily, $10 to $15 weekly. CARL GEHLE.

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South Carolina Ave., near the Beach; the very center of all amusements and within a few yards of the piers and bathing grounds—capacity, 400. The rooms are single and en suite and private baths. Elevator service, spacious porches, orchestra, etc. Write for terms and illustrated booklet. Walter H. Nelson, manager; C. B. Prettyman, owner and proprietor.

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Ocean End Virginia Ave. Modern and excellent. Capacity 300. Best location. Elevator and all appointments. Special rates $16 up weekly. Booklet. SAMUEL A. ELLIS.

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Pacific and Kentucky aves., near beach; open surroundings; capacity 200; elevator, private baths, etc.; large rooms. Special rates $10 up weekly. Booklet.
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AVON INN—Virginia ave., close to Beach; capacity 200; modern in equipment; perfect in comfort. Elevator, baths, etc. Table excellent. Special $8 to $15 weekly. Booklet.
H. W. WILLIAMS & CO.

THE NETHERLAND—New York ave. and the beach. Near amusements. Unobstructed surroundings; baths; elevator, etc. $2.50 up daily. Booklet. Coach meets all trains.
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VENTNOR, Atlantic City's residential suburb. On the Beach. Capacity 200. High class and modern. C. H. HALE, Mgr. A. C. McCLELLAN & SON, Props.

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New York Ave., first house from Beach. Rooms en suite with baths; $7 up daily; $35 up $18 wkly. Free bath houses.
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INTEREST SHIFTS TO PLUM PUDDING

Alfred Gwynn Vanderbilt's Dog Attracts More Attention Than Horses at Atlantic.

BIG CROWD OUT YESTERDAY

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., July 20.—Alfred Vanderbilt's $10,000 coach dog, Plum Pudding, attache to his coach Venture, was matched today to race a brindle pup belonging to Jack Donnelly, manager of the stables of Mrs. J. B. N. Grosvenor, the race to be in harness to express wagons and to take place Saturday afternoon between exhibitions in the Atlantic City horse show ring. The trophy for the winner is a silver cup put up by "Billy" West of Baltimore, and the competing teams will be handled by Donnelly and Wilson, the Vanderbilt trainer.

Announcement of the match overshadowed all other interest in the events this afternoon, and the sympathies of the crowd were plainly shown in favor of the Vanderbilt dog, who was made the recipient of caresses of hundreds of the women folks, who left the stand to pat Plum Pudding, who lay in front of his master's stable oblivious of the honors to be showered upon him should he triumph over his stocky competitor. The match was made as the result of a discussion over the merits of the two dogs by their owners in the paddock this afternoon and will be the event of the week for the horse show contingent.

Objected to Decision.

The first real kick of the week over ring decisions came today when a chestnut four belonging to E. D. Jordan of Boston was awarded a red in the four-in-hand class over the bay team, Tomahawk, Pow-wow, Laughing Water and Indian Chief, belonging to the stables of Mrs. J. B. N. Grosvenor of New York, Mrs. Grosvenor took the defeat of her pair without comment, but Jack Donnelly, her stable manager, disputed the award on the ground that the Jordan pair was too small for a park team, one of the qualifications. "None of the Jordan horses are over 15.1," said Donnelly, after leaving the ring, "and they are surely not up to carrying a park load. We are satisfied that the blue should go to the Vanderbilt team, but we have been taking second to them all over the country, and it is hard to be beaten here by a four lacking one of the very necessary qualities." The winner of the event was the Vanderbilt team Portia, Sweet Marie, Polly Prim and Full Dress, for which the owner paid $29,000.

Saw Her Old Horse Win.

Mrs. John Gerkin won a notable victory today when she captured the blue in the Windsor challenge cup event for harness horses with Newsboy, making her second win of the three necessary to take possession of the cup. Newsboy won the event last year. Mrs. W. B. Austin of Wilmington, who sold Newsboy to Mrs. Gerkin for a song six years ago, was in the stands to applaud the victories of the horse for which Mrs. Gerkin has refused 10 times the purchase price. C. W. Watson, the Baltimore sportsman, added another pair to the string, which he is gathering in an effort to own the finest stable of harness animals in the country, purchasing Pride and Prudence, a fine chestnut pair, from Lehman Straus of New York, for a big price. Hunt clubs in costume, Corinthian hunters and a number of ladies' events gave the show the greatest interest of the week, and a drop of 10 degrees in temperature brought out a crowd that overflowed the stands to the bleachers.

The awards:

Class 13—Open; horses and runabouts, held over from yesterday; horse should be 14.3 and not exceeding 15.2 hands; horse to count 60 per cent—Newsboy, ch. g., Mrs. John Gergen, won; Newmarket, ch. m., J. H. Wheelwright, second; Lady Kathryn, ch. m., Oakland farm, third.

Class 53—Local; ladies' turnouts; single horse, suitable for lady to drive—Lady Harrison, ch. m., Mrs. Edwin H. Vare, won; Easter Lily, br. m., Emory Marvel, second.

Class 29—Open; ponies under saddle, over 12.2 and not exceeding 14.1 hands—Honest John, gr. g., Mrs. J. B. M. Grosvenor, won; Dominie, b. g., E. D. Jordan, second, Towthorpe Queen, b. m., Mrs. John Gerken, third; Togo, blk. g., Emil Seleg, fourth.

Class 4—Open; harness horses suitable for a gig—Newsboy, ch. g., Mrs. John Gerken, won; Bellasah, b. g., C. W. Watson, second; Alert, br. g., Oakland farm, third; Eloquence, ch. m., J. P. Carlisle, fourth.

Class 14—Open; combination harness and saddle horses—Dixie, ch. g., Mrs. J. B. M. Grosvenor, won; La Contributor, b. m., Mrs. John Gerken, second; Lucille, ch. m., Oakland farm, third; Maid of Athens, b. m., Oakland farm, fourth.

Class 9—Open; pairs of harness horses, over 15 hands and not exceeding 15.3—Lord Burleigh, b. g., and Lord Belfast, b. g., E. D. Jordan, won; Eloquence, ch. m., and Revenue, ch. g., J. P. Carlisle, second; Pest Boy, r. g., and Made, r. g., Mrs. J. B. M. Grosvenor, third; Lord Golden II, ch. g., and Lady Golden, ch. m., Aural Baton, 3d, fourth.

Class 29—Open, hunters, Corinthian class, open to all hunters. Heatherbloom, b. g., Howard Willets, won; Centennial, blk. g., Westchester farm, second; Jack Frost, r. g., Westchester farm, third; Buck, ch. g., Westchester farm, fourth.

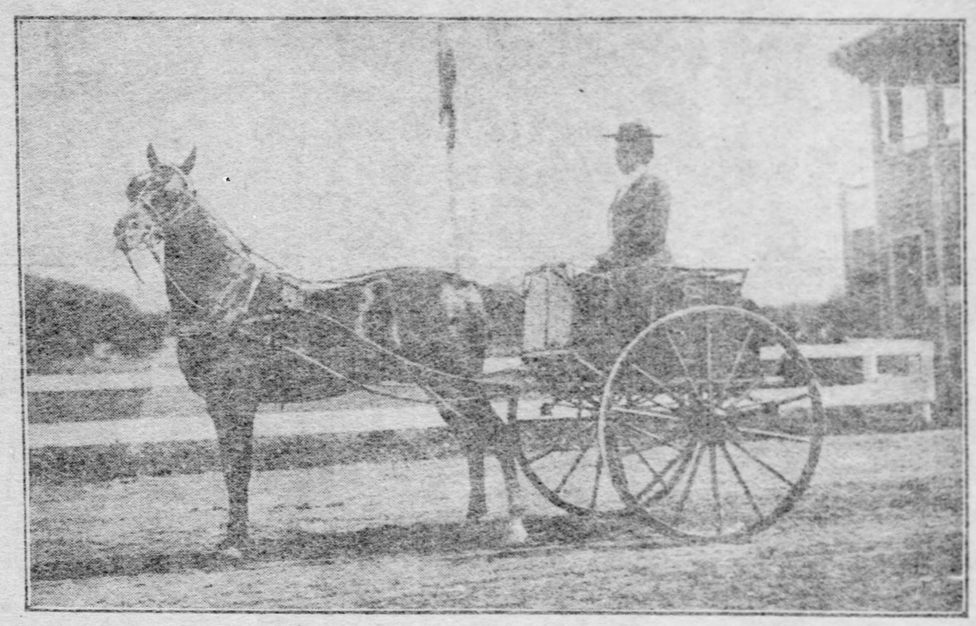
Class 49—Amateur, harness horses. The Baron, ch. g., E. D. Jordan, won; Saint, b. m., Mrs. A. O. VanHeusen, second; Beldean, b. g., C. W. Watson, third.

Class 27—Open, saddle horses over 14.2 hands that have never won a first prize. Nancy Steer, b. m., William S. Vare, won; Morning Glory, br. g., Edwin H. Weatherbee, second; Focrys, ch. g., Miss Vera Morris, third; Miss Rose, b. m., Samuel Alexander, fourth.

Class 46—Open, hunt teams, for the best hunters from one hunt. First, Jack Frost, Red Raven, Buck, Cameron Run hunt; second, Centennial, Fleuretete, Maybell, Cameron Run hunt.

Class 18—Open, four-in-hands. First, Portia, Sweet Marie, Polly Prim and Full Dress, Oakland farm; second, Haldreth, Plymouth Champion, Baron and President, E. D. Jordan; third, Tomahawk, Powwow, Laughing Water and Indian Chief, Mrs. J. B. M. Grosvenor.

A WINNER AT THE ATLANTIC CITY HORSE SHOW



Mrs. John Gerkin, showing her blue ribbon "Newsboy" to a gig.

SOCIETY

MR. AND MRS. CHARLES HENDERSON BRADLEY expect their son-in-law and daughter, and Mrs. Anthony J. Drexel Biddle of Philadelphia, to visit them the latter part of next week, and early in August they will all go on to Naragansett Pier, R. I., to spend a part of the month, their plans for the remainder of the summer including visits to Newport and the Massachusetts coast. Mr. and Mrs. Biddle, who returned from Europe in April, have been entertaining Mrs. Biddle's sisters, Miss Jane Bradley and Miss Gladys Bradley, at their home in Radnor, near Philadelphia. After a round of visits the Misses Bradley will join Mr. and Mrs. Bradley in the late summer. Miss Gladys Bradley is a great favorite with her married sister, Mrs. Biddle, and is entertained at the fashionable school at Farmington, Conn., but possibly will not go there this fall. Miss Gladys Bradley and Miss Marion McGinley have been almost inseparable friends since they were little girls, and it is possible they will make their debut at the same time.

The Girls They Leave Behind.

The Yankanuck club will not leave for its island in the Georgian bay region, Canada, until August 15. This year the men of the club are going up to Canada alone, though it has been the club's custom for the members to take their families with them in previous years. The party will be composed of about 20 men, who will take a few friends north with them, remaining on the island for three weeks. During the spring and early summer the club made a great many improvements within the island's limits of seven acres. It is covered with rich timber, and almost the whole island has been cleared of underbrush, and walks and trails laid out over the place, with rustic benches and arbors. A cottage has been erected this season for the keeper, and improvements have been made at the wharf. The club members will go north in the usual way, leaving Pittsburgh for Buffalo and going thence to Toronto and Penetang, where they will take the steamer for the beautiful cruise among the innumerable islands which cover Georgian bay, one of which, in the extreme northern end, is the location of the Yankanuck club.

Peters-Roehm.

Miss Anna Peters, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Peters of 1305 Sidney street, South Side, and the Rev. Louis Roehm of Fort Worth, Tex., were married last night in St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church by the Rev. P. Brandt. The bride was attended by Miss Selma Peters, maid of honor, and Misses Lyda Brandt and Delma Nieman were bridesmaids. Mr. Len Seyfert and Fred Peters of Baltimore, Md., acted as ushers. The choir of St. Paul's church sang during the ceremony. After the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Roehm will leave on Wednesday for Fort Worth, Tex., where the groom is pastor of a Lutheran church.

Are Married in Oakdale.

Information was received in Duquesne yesterday by friends of Howard H. Hill and Miss Belle McLaughlin that they had been married at Oakdale, the home of the bride's parents, and that they had left immediately for Butte, Mont., where Mr. Hill will take a position as manager of the street railway company. The wedding is a surprise to residents of Duquesne where both are well known. Miss McLaughlin was one of Duquesne's public school teachers, and Mr. Hill had been an employe of the Carnegie Steel Company.

Euchre for House Guests.

Miss Ruth Purdy of Wallingford street, Shadyside, gave a very pretty and informal euchre yesterday afternoon in honor of her two house guests, Miss Helen Bains of Oak lane, Philadelphia, and Miss Elizabeth Hall of Media, Pa. The game was six-handed euchre and five tables were required for the guests, who included some of the younger girls. Three prizes were awarded. Miss Anna May Black winning the first and Miss Alice Black the second. Miss Grace Wignley captured the lone hand prize.

McKelvey-Shaffer.

LATROBE, July 20.—(Special.)—A handsomely appointed wedding was that of Miss Lettie Belle McKelvey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McKelvey, and John W. Shaffer of Braddock. The ceremony was performed at noon yesterday at the home of the bride's parents near Ligonier. The Rev. J. O. McConnell of Slippery Rock officiated, assisted by the Rev. W. T. Brownlee of Ligonier. Mr. and Mrs. Shaffer left for an extended eastern tour. Upon their return they will live in Braddock.

The Warren Fairbanks at Magnolia.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Fairbanks of Chicago go this week to Magnolia, Miss., where they will remain until October. They will be joined there by Mrs. Fairbanks' mother, Mrs. Edward Cassidy, and her sister's family, the William Metcalf, Jr.'s, of the East End. Later in the summer they expect that Mr. Fairbanks' father and mother, Vice President Charles W. Fairbanks and Mrs. Fairbanks, will visit them for several weeks.

Neal-Purkiss.

SHARON, PA., July 20.—(Special.)—The marriage of the Rev. A. F. Purkiss, pastor of the First Baptist church of this city, to Miss Mary Stowe Neal, daughter of Mrs. Alvin Neal, of Port Huron, Mich., took place this evening at the home of the bride, the Rev. G. Hazen officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Purkiss will spend their honeymoon at Spring Lake, Mich.

Westfall-Gorley.

UNIONTOWN, PA., July 20.—(Special.)—The wedding of Charles H. Gorley and Miss L. Ethel Westfall, daughter of Mrs. Anna Westfall, took place at the home of the bride Wednesday evening, the Rev. Dr. J. D. Gold of the Cumberland Presbyterian church officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Gorley left for an eastern trip.

Reception for Bride-Elect.

An informal reception was given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. William Gundelfinger at her home in Bank street, Sewickley, in honor of Miss Alma Gracey of New Lexington, O., who in September will become the bride of the hostess' son, Philip Gundelfinger. There were about 25 guests.

Engagement Is Announced.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., July 20.—(Special.)—The announcement was made of the engagement of E. Mason Wick, assistant cashier of the Dollar Savings and Trust Company, and Miss Jane Todd of Chicago. Miss Todd is the daughter of Dr. J. F. Todd.

Will Wed in August.

The marriage of Miss Florence Honess, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Honess of Allegheny, and John R. Scholl of West Newton, Pa., will be solemnized on Wednesday, August 9.

Garden Party for Daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Bricker of Woodland avenue, Allegheny, gave a garden party last evening in honor of their daughter, Miss Mary Bricker.

CHAUTAUQUA

CHAUTAUQUA, July 20.—(Special.)—"The Sick Man of Asia and His Doctors" was the title of a most interesting and instructive lecture today by Mr. Kinosue Inni of Japan. The lecturer has been a guest of Chautauqua all week and this was the last lecture of his series. He has proven a most popular visitor, and has been entertained by a number of cottagers who make this famous resort their summer home.

His lecture dealt with the conditions of China and the movement which is being made for the control of that country. He left no doubt in the minds of his hearers as to what Japan proposes to do with China and that the yellow race intends to work out its own salvation, assisted by the United States. "The Land of the Setting Sun" and "The Empire of the Rising Sun" together will lead China out of the darkness into the light. The lecturer said in part:

"There is a huge empire in Eastern Asia which is much larger than the whole of Europe or of the United States; about one and a half times as large as Canada, or 30 times larger than the Japanese empire. It is the Chinese empire.

"Four hundred million people form this country. It occupies the best and richest part of Asia, lots of mines and timber and agricultural land. Yet it is the weakest country of its size. It has many industrial laborers and rich citizens, yet its government is the poorest on earth. China is the 'Sick man of Asia.'

"When a thoughtful doctor sees a sick man he searches for the cause of the patient's trouble, rather than the symptoms. Why is it that this man of Asia, with the mild climate, rich mountains and fertile soil, is sick? Why is he so weak and feeble with 400,000,000 of people, silent, gentle, sub-missive and all enduring? Why does he remain sick even when dropped into the civilization of the twentieth century?

"Friends, there is but one reason. China lacks unity, organization and has no centralizing power. Pekin is the Washington of China, but the emperor has no real power over the whole empire. The empire is divided into a couple of dozen of political divisions, each of which has absolute local self government. It has no representative at Pekin to present its condition and promote its welfare. The viceroy governs it without consulting the constitution.

"He has no system of taxation for the interest of the central govt. Local officers take all local taxes and leave hardly anything of the Pekin government, the head of the poor sick man.

"The lack of means of communication leaves the interior of China untouched. It has led the citizens to have different manners and customs. For example, in Manchuria they must wear that long queue, while they may act on the coast of the China sea.

"Why should China not have a unity? A centralized power? The answer contains a word—few words. Because of her history, tradition and superstition. Four thousand years the Chinese have been victims of fetich, fortune tellers and necromacy. With this tradition and superstition priests lead the people, teachers the students, statesmen the citizens and parents the children.

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TWO TROPHY WINNERS.

D. McK. Lloyd and F. X. Barr Bring Home Golf Honors.

CLEVELAND, O., July 20.—E. A. Freeman of Montclair, N. J., won the championship of the annual tournament of the American Golf association of Advertising Interests, which closed here today, by defeating J. K. Boles of Cleveland. The score was 3 up and 2 to play. Mr. Freeman will hold for one year the Studebaker challenge cup, and Mr. Boles gets the Clarence C. Vernon trophies.

D. McK. Lloyd of Pittsburgh won the Outing trophy and F. X. Barr of Pittsburgh the Country Life trophy.

VOTES TO ANNEX LAND.

Borough Council of Aspinwall Takes in Delafield Plot.

The borough council of Aspinwall last night passed an annexation ordinance finally, which will take into the borough a large tract of land known as the Aspinwall-Delafield plot.

The tract is being exploited by a land company who agreed to improve the property with sewers, pavements and lights at its own expense, and under these conditions the annexation was agreed to by councils.

A PITTSBURGH WOMAN WINS IN THE SEMI-FINALS

CHICAGO, July 20.—Miss McAteer of Pittsburgh and Miss Carrie Neely of Chicago today qualified in the semi-finals of the singles for women in the western tennis tournament. Miss McAteer defeated Mrs. Barnes, 6-1, 6-4, while Miss Neely defeated Miss Garreschs, 8-0, 6-2.

Central League Games.

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SPRINGFIELD, July 20—Score:													
Springfield	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	*		4	4	1
Evansville	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0		1	6	2
Batteries—Carriveau and Shannon; McCafferty and Cross.													
SOUTH BEND, July 20.—Score:													
South Bend	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	3	5
Wheeling	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	10	3
Batteries—Shafer and Tieman; Robertson and Livingston.													
CANTON, July 20.—Scores: First game—													
Canton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	4	4
Terre Haute	0	0	0	4	1	1	1	0	*		7	7	2
Batteries—Alberts, Myers and Searles; Gay and Curtis.													
Second game—													
Canton	0	2	0	1	1	0	2	1	0		7	7	1
Terre Haute	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	4	4
Batteries—Willis and Searles; Christian and Curtis.													
GRAND RAPIDS, July 20.—Score:													
Grand Rapids	0	3	0	0	0	2	1	3	*		9	13	2
Dayton	1	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0		1	7	1
Batteries—Alloway and Barber; Wise and Hawkins.													

Hezlep Descendants Hold Reunion.

The sixth annual reunion of the descendants of Samuel Hezlep was held yesterday at Kennywood park and was attended by many members of the family. The gathering was one of the largest ever held, and the crowd had a good time in the park. The committee in charge of the reunion furnished refreshments, but many of the families took their lunches with them. Isaac A. Brown is president of the family association.

Wheeling $1.50 Sunday Excursion. Pennsylvania Lines—Two Trains.

Sunday Special leaves Pittsburgh Union station 7 a. m., regular train 8:20 a. m., Central time. Excursion tickets good on both.

Among the Clubs.

Children Have Time of Their Lives.

The Zoo in Highland park was besieged yesterday by a host of little people from all parts of the city. They were the children from the Episcopal Church Home, together with many others sent out by the Society for the Improvement of the Poor.

Though Gusky seemed the guest of honor, she was not embarrassed by her crowd of admirers, but kept swinging her trunk to and fro as of old. The largest group beside the summer cages was to be found all afternoon before the tank where the sea lions were. The little girls were on the whole awe-stricken at the sights they beheld, but the boys were fearless in their criticisms and were manifestly disappointed because the sea lions were "not lions at all, but shiny and like fishes." The ceaseless tread of the lions and magnificent Bengal tigers, the stealthy footfalls of the polar bears, the antics of the little brown bears, the amusing appearance of the ring-tailed coons were the cardinal noticed, toes in most conspicuously, were all sources of great wonderment to the little people, some of whom had never before been to Highland park, and when there was a great commotion in the monkey house, followed by a yelling and chattering, they all scampered within its doors to find out what it all was about.

Up the steep steps they dragged the young women who were taking charge of the parties of children and talked confidentially to the foxes and badgers, mimicked the crows, poked fetches at the chipmunks and coaxed the deers to the wire netting, each boy specifying his particular pet in the herd which crowded up to them. The little girls cooed over the does and pigeons, while everybody wanted to ride the donkeys.

It was with difficulty that the children could be dragged away from the cages to the wagons which were waiting at the entrance to the buildings to take them all back to the shelter house in Rhododendron park, within the limits of Highland, where they had their supper.

The occasion was the weekly picnic given to the poor by the Sunday school of Calvary Protestant Episcopal church of the East End. The guests of the school yesterday included the children from the Episcopal Church Home and about 75 children and their mothers selected by the Society for the Improvement of the Poor. Arriving at the car barns at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, they found wagons waiting for them, and after a drive through the park they were taken to the shelter house, where a noon lunch was served. In the afternoon the wagons carried the children to the Zoo, where they spent a couple of hours, returning again to Rhododendron park, where they remained until after supper, when they started back to the car barns to find the street cars waiting for them. The children were tired out with the excitement of the day, but had the time of their lives and are looking forward to a picnic next year.

Flower Day in the Playgrounds.

Flower day will be observed in all the summer playgrounds, vacation schools and recreation parks in both Pittsburgh and Allegheny this morning. The two committees having charge of the work of arranging the flowers for distribution on each side of the Allegheny river will meet early. Mrs. Minnie Ourey Roberts and her committee will be found in the Central Young Women's Christian association rooms, where the flowers will be sorted for the Pittsburgh children, while Mrs. John Colberry and the Allegheny women will meet in the basement of the Allegheny Carnegie library, the entrance being in North Diamond street.

The attendance in the nine playgrounds and nine vacation schools in Allegheny has kept up to the 3,000 limit, though there have been distractions in the form of large picnics every few days. In Pittsburgh the attendance has reached 4,200, the larger number being due to the fact that in addition to the nine playgrounds and nine vacation schools is also counted the attendance in the playgrounds at the recreation parks, which have both morning and afternoon sessions, thus giving Pittsburgh 15 playgrounds in all. The flower committees today will arrange to distribute flowers among all these children.

Wing Completed in September.

The new wing of the United Presbyterian Home for the Aged is to be completed in September, and at that time the managers will hold a housewarming to celebrate the occasion. The new wing will provide accommodations for 40 more residents in the home, the number there now being 60, thus enabling the managers to care for 100 aged people. A number are on the waiting list, who will be admitted as soon as the wing is completed.

While the work has been progressing rapidly during the last few weeks on the enlargement of the Home for the Aged, there has been delays in the work of finishing the Columbia hospital, whose grounds adjoin those of the home. The hospital building is not expected to be ready to be turned over to the United Presbyterian Women's association by the contractors until November, though it was hoped that the work would be completed for a housewarming in September.

Women Elect Officers.

The branch union midsummer meeting of the Pittsburgh conference of the Union Woman's Foreign Missionary society was held yesterday afternoon at the Methodist Protestant church, Sheraden, the Rev. R. E. Whitehead, pastor. Fifty women attended, and luncheon was served by the women of the church. The election of officers resulted as follows: Mrs. J. C. Broomfield, president, Mars, Iland, Uniontown, secretary; Mrs. J. W. Zerkel, Pittsburgh, treasurer.

New Chairman for Seventh Ward.

Mrs. Vitellius Matthews has been appointed chairman of the Woman's club committee in charge of the summer playground and vacation school in the Seventh ward school, Allegheny. The former chairman, Mrs. John H. Evans, has been unable to serve because of absence from home, and Mrs. Matthews has had charge of the work there this season. The school term of five weeks in Allegheny will be half over this morning at 10:30 o'clock.

Two Are Injured by Falls.

John Eardley, a contractor, while working on a building at Hays borough yesterday afternoon, was seriously injured by the fall of a heavy piece of girder iron which struck him on the back. John Dakock, also of Hays borough, fell on a trestel near the Harbison-Walker Brick refractories and received a broken leg and was injured internally.

Thieves Rob Two Homes.

Thieves entered two homes yesterday afternoon in Homestead and stole clothing and money. While the family of Mrs. Mary Hill, Third avenue and Dickson street, were absent the house was entered and a large amount of clothing was taken. At the home of George Drave, Second avenue, thieves took money to the amount of $25.

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Butler St., 3413, C. T. Bundy.
Beltzhoover Ave., 117, Adolph Beck.
Butler St., 4407, A. W. Covert.
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Butler St., 5461, C. W. Coyan.
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Butler St., 5201, M. C. Linn.
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Butler St., 4301, E. M. Totten.
Butler St., 5266, W. C. Tomlinson.
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Collins Ave., 226, J. Breitweiser.
Craig and Forbes Sts., Charles' Bellefield Pharmacy.
Carson St., 1681, The Stenger Drug Store.
Carson St., 2, Panhandle Pharmacy.
Carson St., 2028, Charles A. Schafer.
Carson St., 2429, P. A. Hellerbach.
Carson St., 1826, W. F. Herman.
Cor. 19th and Carson Sts., H. L. Lohmeyer.
Carson St., 1866, Chas. Wiesel.
Carson St., 1734, Carl F. Lorch.
Carson St., 1414, Low's Drug Store.
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Cor. 12th and Diamond Sts., Beck's Pharmacy.
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Fifth Ave., 1701, P. Anthes.
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Forbes St., 2000, The Anderson Drug Co.
Fifth Ave., 327-329, The Court Pharmacy.
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Frankstown Ave., 280, T. J. Hermann.
Frankstown Ave., 6956, T. T. Hill.
Fifth Ave., 3614, T. E. Ihrig.
Fifth Ave., 5215, P. L. Jones.
Forbes St., 1207, The Lincoln Pharmacy.
Forbes and Ophelia St., Morgan's Pharmacy.
Fifth Ave., 2038, Ottenberg's Meat Market.
Fifth Ave., 2304, Ottenberg's Meat Market.
Fifth Ave., 1221, Robinson Drug Co.
Fifth Ave., 2220, T. T. Spence.
Fifth Ave., 643, W. Sawhill & Son.
Fifth Ave., 1435, Shalback Bros.
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Fifth Ave., 1719, G. A. Vockrodt.
Fifth Ave., 2130, C. J. Welsh.
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Greenfield Ave., 119, Fred W. Ertzman.
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Homewood and Bennett St., J. R. Gassaway.
Homewood and Hamilton Ave., J. R. McCreary.
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Hastings and Reynolds, J. H. Pfeffer.
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Lincoln Ave., 1500, Otto F. Freshing.
Lincoln Ave. and Lake St., T. J. Hermann.
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Larimer Ave., 221, Larimer Pharmacy.
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Liberty Ave., 5108, C. E. Ringer.
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Liberty Ave., 5146, C. A. Schilling.
Lincoln Ave., 1424, Weaver's Pharmacy.
Meadow and Larimer, F. J. Brehm.
Main and Wabash, W. E., Montgomery's Pharmacy.
Main St., 197, Greinetsen's Pharmacy.
North Highland Ave., 500, Hage's Pharmacy.
Neville St. and Center Ave., Porter & Porter.
Ophelia and Kennett, Schilling & Thompson.
Penn and Swissvale, Ave., Berlin & Co.
Penn Ave., 7106, Paul Brown.
Penn and Main, Kreider's Drug Store.
Penn Ave., 4823, Garfield Pharmacy.
Penn Ave., 4202, T. J. Guyton.
Penn Ave., 3856, P. H. B. Hess.
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Penn Ave., 804, McGann's Pharmacy, Wilkinsburg, Pa.
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Penn Ave., 1701, Erskins & Wicks.
Penn Ave., 2552, Ed. J. Johnston.
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Penn Ave., 7003, I. M. Patterson.
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Rebecca Ave., 731, A. R. Canter & Bro., Wilkinsburg.
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Rebecca Ave., 611, Dr. S. W. Covell.
Sarah St., 2135, South Side Pharmacy.
Second Ave., 4751, Lecrone Bros. & Clark.
Second Ave., 6006, Lutz & Rodemoyer.
Second Ave., 5109, Elizabeth Pharmacy.
Second Ave., 5424, Jones & Silefer.
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California Ave., 2613, Dennlow Bros.
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North Ave. and East St., C. Helm.
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Allegheny.

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SHADYSIDE, ATLANTIC AVE.—New solid brick, 11 rooms and rec. hall; every convenience; lot 20x135 feet. Price, $15,000.

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Miscellaneous.

NOTICE is hereby given that the remaining leases of the Weinstock Furniture Company of Braddock, Pa., amounting to $4,720.29, more or less, will be sold at public sale at the office of the Braddock Trust Company, corner Liberty and Braddock aves., Braddock, Pa., on Friday, July 28, at 10 a. m. Terms, cash. The right to reject any or all bids is specifically reserved. Braddock Trust Co., Braddock, Pa., trustee of the Weinstock Furniture Co.

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To Whom It May Concern: I have severed all connections with George R. Watterson and he is no longer acting for me in any capacity. He is no longer authorized to use my name or bind me to any obligations.
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LEGAL NOTICES.

STATE of New Jersey, Department of State, certificate of dissolution. To all to whom these presents may come, Greeting: Whereas, it appears to my satisfaction, by duly authenticated record of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof by the unanimous consent of all the stockholders, deposited in my office that the NATIONAL DOCK AND FUEL COMPANY, a corporation of this state, whose principal office is situated at No. 15 Exchange Place, in the City of Jersey City, County of Hudson, State of New Jersey (The Corporation Trust Company being agent thereto and in charge thereof, upon whom process may be served), has complied with the requirements of "An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896)," preliminary to the issuing of this certificate of dissolution. Now, therefore, I, S. D. Dickinson, secretary of state of the state of New Jersey, do hereby certify that the said corporation did, on the 8th day of May, 1905, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by all the stockholders thereof, which said consent and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said office as provided by law. In testimony whereof, I have hereto set my hand and affixed my official seal, at Trenton, this 8th day of May, A. D., one thousand nine hundred and five. S. D. Dickinson, Secretary of State. (Seal of the Secretary of State of New Jersey.)

JOHN A. METZ, Attorney at Law, No. 41 St. Nicholas Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.—Court of Common Pleas No. 2, Allegheny county, Pa.—State of Pennsylvania.—Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to said court at No. 48, October term, 1905, on Saturday, the 5th day of August, 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., by Chester West, Harry P. Wills, C. W. Walsh, J. A. Cook, R. H. Schaffer, M. L. Wood and L. E. Smith, under the act of assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation, to be called "The Beechview Methodist Episcopal Church," the character and object of which is to support, maintain and conduct the public worship of God in conformity with the doctrine, faith and usages of the Methodist Episcopal church of the United States, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and supplements thereto. The above application is now on file in the prothonotary's office. John A. Metz, Solicitor.

A. B. HAY, Attorney-at-Law, 424 Fifth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on Monday, July 31, 1905, by Frederick W. Ward, Joseph Volkommer and Theodore J. Volkommer, under the act of assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called the "International Chemical Company," the character and object of which is the manufacture and sale of chemicals and supplies required in connection with washing plants and the laundry business, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and supplements thereto. A. B. Hay, solicitor.

SMITH & KEARNS, Attorneys-at-Law, 624 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on Thursday, August 17, 1905, by James G. Morris, James E. Jones and James J. Howard, under the act of assembly, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, A. D. 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation, to be called Home Site Land Company, the character and object of which is the purchase and sale of real estate or by building, leasing and selling real estate and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and supplements thereto. Smith & Kearns, solicitors.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on July 31, 1905, by James W. Grove, J. N. Davidson, Nathan T. Kuhns and others, under the act of assembly, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called North Side Real Estate Company, the character and object of which is conducting a real estate

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Union Pacific and Amalgamated Copper Placed Upon a Five Per Cent Basis—Mining Shares the Active Local Features.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

The New York stock market yesterday was a disappointment to the bulls, because two important developments which have been looked forward to for weeks materialized and failed to stimulate prices or increase the volume of trading.

The Union Pacific directors declared a semi-annual dividend of 2½ per cent, an increase of ½ per cent over the semi-annual rate heretofore declared, but because the directors did not specifically declare that this was a "regular" semi-annual rate, traders expressed disappointment and sold the stock freely, causing a reaction throughout the list.

A little later in the day the Amalgamated Copper directors declared a quarterly dividend of 1¼ per cent, being an increase of ¼ over the last previous quarterly dividend. Amalgamated had sold off to 87⅛, but on the announcement of the dividend it rallied to 88½, closing with a net gain of 1¼ per cent. The selling on the advance was thought to come from inside interests, which have from time to time supported the stock, and this was another disappointment to the bulls, who have been counting upon an increase in the rate to boom the price.

Amalgamated also had the benefit of an advance in the price of the metal of ⅛ cent a pound, and it was reported that the inquiry for export was as large as at any previous time this year, large orders having been received for shipment to China.

These two stocks—Union Pacific and Amalgamated Copper—have been conspicuous leaders of the market, and the fact that the fulfillment of dividend predictions resulted in a net loss of ¾ per cent for Union Pacific and an advance of only 1¼ per cent for Amalgamated, suggested that the good news had been discounted. It seemed a loss of valuable ammunition, for the sales of all stocks for the day fell short of 500,000 shares.

In the early dealings Northern Pacific displayed great strength and advanced to a new high record since the famous "corner" price of 1901. It subsequently reacted and closed at a loss of 1 per cent. St. Paul closed 1½ per cent lower, and othern western and southern stocks lost small fractions. The industrial stocks held relatively better than the railroads. Both the United States Steel issues closed unchanged for the day, after the common stock had advanced to 35 and the preferred to 103. The minor iron and steel stocks declined fractionally. United States Rubber common was a strong feature, advancing to 49¾, and closing with a net advance of 1¾ per cent. National Biscuit was weak and lower on selling by Chicago, where reports were current of increased competition in the business.

The heaviness of the railroad list was probably influenced by the strength of cotton, based upon reports of damage by the boll weevil, and by the excitement in wheat, which scored a net rise of 4⅜ cents for the September option, based upon reports of damage to spring wheat by rust.

The money market was, if anything easier, the rate on call loans declining to 1¾ per cent and closing at the lowest. The only important change in the weekly reports of the foreign government banks was the increase of a little more than $5,000,000 gold by the Bank of France.

Mining shares furnished the bulk of the business in the local stock market. Sales of Ohio Tonopah aggregated 11,000 shares at prices ranging from 33 to 36 cents, the stock closing firm at 36 bid. Luster Mining on sales of a little more than 500 shares advanced to 27¾, the highest quoted on the present capitalization. United Copper sold at 32½ ex-dividend of 1 per cent, which is the highest ever quoted. Pittsburgh Coal was less active, but closed slightly lower. Sales of the common were only 110 shares at 12, while 1,267 shares of the preferred changed hands at 49 to 48⅝, the final sale being at 48½, a loss of ⅛ for the day. There were no transactions in River Coal stocks. National Fire Proofing was weak, and although the common did not sell below 8, it was at one time offered down to 7⅞, the lowest of the year. The preferred sold to 32, the previous low price. Independent Brewing preferred was strong, advancing to 41. Pittsburgh Brewing common was unchanged at 25¼, and the preferred at 47½. Union Switch and Signal sold at 81 to 81¼, a decline of 1¾. There were no sales of Electric or Air-brake. The steel stocks remained dull but firm.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

200 P. Coal pfd..... 48¼
15 do..... 48½
70 do..... 48⅞
10 do..... 48¾
10 do..... 48⅞
50 do..... 48½
20 do..... 48⅝
10 do..... 48⅝
10 do..... 48⅝
10 do..... 48⅞
100 do..... 48⅝
40 do..... 48⅝
50 P. Brew. com.. 36¼
50 Luster 27
50 do..... 27
10 do..... 27
10 do..... 27¼
10 do..... 27½
50 do..... 27½
20 do..... 28
10 do..... 28½
10 do..... 28½
10 do..... 28½
100 do..... 28⅜
40 do..... 28½
50 U. S. Steel pfd. 102¼
30 U. S. Steel com 34¼
25 U. S. Steel com 34⅜

10:30 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

50 Luster 27½
50 do..... 27½
10 do..... 27½
100 do..... 27⅝
50 do..... 27⅝
25 do..... 27½
15 M. L. & H..... 34¼
30 U. S. Steel pfd. 102¼
85 do..... 102⅜
10 Sewer Pipe..... 36½
10 do..... 36½
10 Crucible pfd.... 82¾
140 do..... 82¾
10 do..... 82¾
25 U. S. Steel com 34⅜
50 Pitts. Coal com 12
200 P. Oil & Gas.... 55
40 Ind. Brew. pfd.. 40½
1 do..... 40½
10 do..... 40⅝
100 do..... 41
5 do..... 41
12 Pitts. Coal pfd.. 48¾
10 do..... 48½
35 do..... 48½
50 do..... 48½
60 Luster 27½
40 do..... 27¾
10 Fire Proof. com 8¼
50 do..... 8
50 do..... 8
50 do..... 8
25 Fire Proof. pfd. 32⅛
20 do..... 32
5 Bk. of N. Y. A.185

11:00 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

5000 Ohio Tonopah. .35
4 Crucible com.... 10½
35 Un. Switch com 81¼
20 Un. Copper com*32
30 do..... *32
20 do..... *32
30 do..... *32
10 do..... *32
60 do..... *32⅛
50 do..... *32⅛
100 do..... *32⅛
100 do..... *32½
100 do..... *32½
100 do..... *32½
75 Sewer Pipe..... 37
25 do..... 37
20 Pitts. Coal com 12
25 do..... 12
15 Pitts. Coal com 12
10 Bankers' Trust.. 180
5 Bk. of Pitts., N.A. 185
10 Ind. Brew. pfd. 41
25 do..... 41
16 do..... 41
35 Un. Switch com 81¼

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

50 Un. Cop. com..*32½
20 do..... *32½
50 Pitts. Coal pfd. 48½
50 do..... 48¾
10 do..... 48⅝
400 Ohio Tonopah.. .35
400 Ohio Tonopah... .36
75 M. L. & H..... 34
20 do..... 34⅛
6 do..... 34¼
50 Peo. Pipags..... 21

2:00 P. M. to 2:30 P. M.

400 Ohio Tonopah... .36
75 M. L. & H..... 34
20 do..... 34⅛
6 do..... 34¼
50 Peo. Pipags..... 21

2:30 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

45 Fire Proof. pfd. 32
1000 Ohio Tonopah... .36
1000 do..... .36
500 do..... .36
100 do..... .36
400 do..... .36
400 do..... .36

*Ex-dividend.

Summary.

Sales.	STOCKS.	High.	Low.	Last Sale.	Chg.
54	Crucible Steel.....	10¾	*10½	10¾	0
590	Do preferred.....	82¾	82¼	82¾	0
150	Fireproof.....	8¼	8	8	— ⅛
96	Do preferred.....	32½	32	32	— ⅛
206	Ind. Brew. pfd.....	41	*40½	41	+ ¾
505	Luster	27⅞	27	27⅜	+1⅛
115	M. L. & H.....	34¼	34	*34⅛	+ ⅛
11060	Ohio Tonopah.....	.36	.33	.36	+.04
1000	Peo. Pipags.....	.21	.21	.21	+ ⅛
1000	Tonopah Ext.....	.05½	.05½	.05½	+ ½
1000	Tonopah Min.....	.05½	.05½	.05½	+ ½
1000	Un. Copper com..	*32½	*32	*32½	+ ⅛
70	Union Switch com.	81¼	81	81¼	—1¾
50	U. S. Steel.....	34⅞	34⅜	34⅝	+ ¼
85	Do preferred.....	102¼	102¼	102¼	+ ⅛
	BANKS, ETC.				
10	Bankers' Trust..	180	80	80	+10
5	Bk. of Pitts., N.A.	185	185	185	—4
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*Less than 10 shares. †New high mark. ‡Ex-div. or ex-int.

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Pittsburgh banks—			
Arsenal Bank.....	50	140	.....
Bankers Trust.....	100	75	.....
Farmers Deposit National....	100	1000	.....
First National, Pittsburgh..	100	550	600
Fort Pitt National.....	100	.....	250
Iron and Glass Dep. Savings.	100	.....	315
Iron City Trust.....	100	.....	127
Metropolitan National.....	100	.....	150
Second National, Pittsburgh..	100	.....	750
Traders and Mechanics.....	50	70	.....
Allegheny banks—			
Bank of Secured Savings....	50	100	.....
Dollar Sav. Fund and Trust..	100	.....	300
Miscellaneous—			
American Sewer Pipe.....	100	36¾	37¼
Consol. Gas preferred.....	50	83	.....
Crucible Steel.....	100	10⅝	10¾
Do preferred.....	100	82½	.....
Luster Mining.....	10	27	27¾
Mfrs. Light and Heat.....	50	34	34¼
Marsden.....	100	3½	4
Monon. River Coal pfd.....	50	22	24
National Fireproofing.....	50	7⅞	7¾
Do preferred.....	50	32	32½
Ohio Fuel Supply.....	25	39½	39½
Pittsburgh Oil and Gas.....	100	58	.....
Peoples Pipage.....	25	24	.....
Pittsburgh, Y. & A. R. R.....	50	102½	.....
Do preferred.....	50	96	.....
Pittsburgh Brewing.....	50	26¼	27
Do preferred.....	50	47½	48
Pittsburgh Coal.....	100	12	12¾
Do preferred.....	100	43½	48¾
Pittsburgh Plate Glass.....	100	121	123
Tonopah Extension Mining..	1	.....	5.45
Ohio Tonopah.....	1	.36	.37
Union Switch and Signal.....	50	81½	82½
United States Glass.....	100	53	.....
United States Steel.....	100	34½	34¾
Do preferred.....	100	102½	103¾
Westinghouse Electric.....	50	83½	83¾
Westinghouse Airbrake.....	50	145	.....
Ind. Brewing.....	50	.....	14
Do preferred.....	50	40⅞	41¼
*United Copper.....	100	32¼	32½
Vandergrift Land Imp. Co....	100	30	.....
BONDS.			
Pitts., McK. & C. 1st 5s.....		102½	103
Ind. Brewing 6s.....		106	106½

NOTES AND COMMENT.

The reaction which occurred in the New York stock market during the afternoon was ascribed to a variety of causes. One was disappointment over the wording of the dividend declaration on Union Pacific, but this was purely technical. The increase in the rate of dividend was all that was expected, and the fact that the directors did not specifically designate it as a "regular" 2½ per cent semi-annual dividend will not count so much with real investors as the fact that the market value of the stock has advanced to a level where the return on the investment is less than 4 per cent. There are other railroad investment stocks as good as Union Pacific, if not better, which return more than 4 per cent on the current market price. Another cause for the reaction was the strength of wheat, which gave color to reports of damage in the spring wheat territory. This probably accounts for the decline in St. Paul, which at 180 pays less than 4 per cent. Another cause of the reaction was the unexpected action of Gov. Higgins of New York in sending a message to the legislature suggesting an investigation of the life insurance companies of the state. News of this action came shortly after 1 o'clock, and the lowest prices of the day were made after that hour. A legislative investigation which will not confine its work to the affairs of the Equitable Life is likely to keep this question alive as a factor in the stock market for weeks to come.

There was a complete subsidence of the excitement and activity in Pittsburgh Coal stocks yesterday, and while prices averaged ½ per cent lower at the close, fluctuations during the day were comparatively narrow. The sustaining influence in the market is believed to be the short interest, and the latter is responsible for many of the rumors current of a movement to force a reorganization. Several New York brokerage houses were making inquiries here yesterday as to the possibility for support in the event of a movement by eastern stockholders for an investigation of the affairs of the company. Pittsburgh brokers who were consulted in this connection gave little encouragement for any such proposed movement, stating that the annual meeting of stockholders is the time and place for asking questions and making changes.

J. B. Finley, formerly president of the Monongahela River Coal Company, who has been in Europe with his wife for a year, will sail for home tomorrow, and is expected to arrive in Pittsburgh a week from tomorrow.

There was no news accompanying the decline in National Fireproofing. The common was at one time offered at 7⅞, but rallied to 7¾ bid. The preferred sold at 32, the previous low price of the year.

The directors of the Cambria Steel Company have declared the regular semi-annual dividend of 1½ per cent (75 cents per share), payable August 15 to stockholders of record of July 31.

The Illinois Central dividend is payable September 1 to stock of record August 1.

The Union Pacific dividend of 2½ per cent is payable October 1. Books close August 29 and open October 11.

The Pullman Company declared the usual quarterly dividend of 2 per cent.

Pittsburgh, Youngstown & Ashtabula common was bid up to 102⅜, while the preferred quoted at 95 bid. The last sale of the common was at 70 on August 15, 1904.

On the theory that "misery loves company," Pittsburgh Coal preferred stockholders may be interested in the annual report of the International Mercantile Marine Company, which shows that earnings failed by $2,630,130 to meet fixed charges last year, although in the preceding year there was a surplus of $355,000 over the interest on outstanding bonds.

The 4 per cent dividend declared on American Shipbuilding common this week is payable in quarterly installments of 1 per cent each, beginning September 1. In December, 1903, the company suspended dividends on this stock, owing to unfavorable business conditions. The first dividend paid on the common stock of this company was 1 per cent on December 1, 1902, the directors in that year having declared 4 per cent, payable in four quarterly installments. The company has had an unusually properous year, with one still more prosperous ahead.

The Union Storage Company of Pittsburgh has declared a dividend of $1 a share, payable July 31 to stock of record July 19.

Gross earnings of Louisville & Nashville for the second week in July increased $97,536.

The net earnings of Missouri Pacific for May increased $278,331. For five months of 1905 the net decreased $378,058.

The gross earnings of the Baltimore & Ohio for June were $5,768,102, an increase of $356,209. Net earnings were $1,854,894, a decrease of 46,886. The June expenses were affected by the charging in that month of the year's depreciation on marine equipment and in other adjustments in closing the accounts for the year. For the nine months, or fiscal year, ending June 30, as compared with the fiscal year of 1904, the gross earnings from traffic increased $2,618,917. Net earnings were $22,979,204, an increase of $1,527,177.

Subscribers to the Japanese loan for £500 or less were allotted the full amount. The allotment on subscriptions above that amount ranged from 50 to 10 per cent.

Traders in Ohio Tonopah yesterday included 1,000 shares at 35c, Hall to Sproul & Co.; 5,000 shares at 35c, Hill to Sproul & Co.; 2,000 shares at 36c, Masten & Co. to Bayley & Hill & Co.

A sale of 1,000 shares Golden Anchor at $1 was reported, Pittsburgh selling and Tonopah buying.

A Chicago special says: Rumors of opposition plants being started in cities vacated by the National Biscuit Company, also selling of late by interests close to insiders, has caused considerable weakness in the stock. Managers and superintendents who have left the employ of the company say they will not be able to maintain the dividend on the common if these opposition concerns get started. On the other hand, stockholders who have applied to the office of the company have been assured that the gross sales are ahead of the corresponding period last year. Independent cracker manufacturers say that the trust is selling more of its goods than ever before, but its progress is slow because of the number of new bakeries that have entered the field during the past three years. The company is said to be earning 7 per cent on its common stock.

The street attaches importance to the increase in the Amalgamated dividend, as it is taken to indicate the attitude of the Standard Oil interest in the market.

The Coal Trade Journal says in reviewing bituminous coal conditions: "With all the talk of over-production, we adhere to our belief that a difference of about 5 per cent in the whole extent of the trouble should output be reduced 5 per cent, or should consumptive requirements increase 5 per cent, we believe that the whole state of trade would be different. The tonnage is on such a large basis, at the present time, that a small difference in percentage means much in any calculations that are made. With Pennsylvania producing 160,000,000 tons per annum of soft coal alone, a 5 per cent difference in that single state would amount to 8,000,000 tons, and should the demand from consumers the country over increase 5 per cent, that would mean a market for between 14,000,000 and 15,000,000 tons more soft coal alone. A very careful survey of the general industrial situation, as well as a study of railroad interests and the leading lines of transference, leads us to believe that the coal trade stands almost alone in its unsatisfactory condition. This is the great chance. While this is very real and cannot be gainsaid by any form of words, it seems perfectly logical to suppose that other lines being in more satisfactory condition, the coal trade must soon feel the beneficial effect thereof and terminate the bad year in better form than has of late prevailed. There are a few who have taken some solace in the fact that lower prices have been recorded in past years, but when we consider the increase in operating costs, prices of soft coal are now as low as they ever were, and the anthracite price is not so much above the former basis as a mere comparison of figures would indicate."

Domestic and European consumers of refined copper still continue to buy far ahead of orders, and yesterday's sales covered these interests for the September and October deliveries. Full prices were secured on all new business. Few of the leading producers have any large accumulations, as they have generally booked orders for the bulk of their output for August and September. Chinese manufacturers have issued more inquiries for the electrolyte grade to be shipped throughout the remainder of the year, but no additional tonnages have recently been purchased by these buyers. It is expected that the exports for the entire month will exceed 25,000 tons, and it is regarded as probable that the exports for the entire year will equal that of 1904, though the shipments in the second half of this year are likely to be considerably smaller than those in the first six months.

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Atchison	85¾	American Sugar....	136½
Do preferred.....	104½	Do preferred.....	122¾
Boston & Albany..	265	*Am. Tel. & Tel....	132
Boston & Maine....	178	Am. Woolen.....	34¾
Boston Elevated....	152	Do preferred.....	103¾
Pittsburg pfd.....	146	Dom. Iron & Steel.	27¾
Western Central....	21½	Mass. Gas.....	44¼
N. Y., N. H. & H..	201	†United Fruit.....	136
†Pere Marquette...	93	United Shoe Mach.	29¼
Union Pacific.....	125⅛	Do preferred.....	51¾
Am. Agr. Chem....	21	U. S. Steel.....	34½
Do preferred.....	90	Do preferred.....	102¾
Am. Pneu. Tube...	6¾		

*Bid. †Asked.

Government Bonds.

U. S. reg. 2s, reg.	103¾	U. S. new 4s, reg.	121½
Do 2s, coup.....	103¾	Do 4s, coup.....	122¾
U. S. 3s, reg.....	103¾	U. S. old 4s, reg.	104
Do 3s, coup.....	104	Do 4s, coup.....	104

FEATURES OF THE DAY

IN PITTSBURGH

Local mining stocks were active and higher, furnishing the bulk of the stock exchange business.

Lustre advanced to 27¾, the highest on the present capitalization.

United Copper closed at 32½ ex-dividend, the highest ever quoted.

Pittsburgh Coal common and preferred less active and slightly lower.

Fire Proofing stocks declined to the low prices of the year.

IN WALL STREET

Good news failed to stimulate trading in the stock market.

Sales included 496,600 shares stock and $2,462,000 bonds.

Union Pacific dividend increased and the stock closed lower.

Amalgamated Copper placed on a 5 per cent basis and the stock advanced moderately.

Iron and Steel stocks held relatively better than the railroad list.

COMPLETE RECORD OF THE NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburg and Chicago stock exchanges and Chicago board of trade:

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close. Bid.	Close. Ask.
2200	A. T. & S. F.....	88	88⅝	88¼	88¼	
2400	Do preferred.....	102½	102⅝	102	102	
500	Am. Cotton Oil.....	28¾	28	28¾	29	
100	Do preferred.....	92	92	92	97	
600	Am. Sugar Refg..	129	130	128⅝	130½	
3000	Am. Locomotive..	43½	44¼	43⅞	44¼	
200	Do preferred.....	112	112	112	112	
1100	Am. Car Fdy.....	36	36¾	36	36	
100	Do preferred.....	90¾	90¾	90½	90½	
54700	Amal. Copper.....	87½	88½	87¼	87¾	
3600	Anaconda Copper..	39	39½	38⅝	39	
7200	Am. Sm. & Refg..	117	117¾	116¾	117¼	
200	Do preferred.....	111	111	110½	110½	
11700	B. & O.....	111¾	111¾	111¼	111¾	
	Do preferred.....				117	
2000	B. Rapid Tran....	40¾	40¾	40¾	40¾	
3400	Canadian Pacific..	152	152¾	151½	152	
400	C. & O. W.....	19¾	20	19¾	20	
100	Consolidated Gas..				195¾	
1100	C. & A.....	22¾	23⅜	22¾	23⅛	
200	C. & A.....	75¾	76⅜	75¾	76	
	Do preferred.....				79	
400	C. & N.....	211	211	209½	209½	
1700	Col. F. & Iron....	66	67	65¾	66	
100	Corn Products.....	10	10	10	10	
100	Col. Southern.....	27	27	27	27	
	Do 1st pfd.....				57	
100	Do 2d pfd.....	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾	
300	D., L. & W.....	350	350	350	350	
100	D. & H.....	189½	189½	189½	189½	
12700	Erie	40¾	40¾	40¼	40¾	
2000	Do 1st pfd.....	74¾	74¾	74¼	74¾	
6000	Do 2d pfd.....	57¾	57¾	57¼	57¾	
200	General Electric..	174½	174¾	174½	174¾	
	Hocking Valley....				84	
	Do preferred.....	86¾	87¼	86¾	86¾	
7100	Illinois Central..	146½	147¼	146½	147¼	
100	Iowa Central.....	27¾	27¾	27¾	27¾	
100	Inter. Paper.....	13	13	13¼	14	
200	Do preferred.....	70	70	70	70	
2776	L. & N.....	140½	141¾	140½	141¾	
100	Manhattan.....	150	150	150	150	
1500	Missouri Pacific..	99	99¾	98⅝	99¾	
200	M., K. & T.....	29¼	29¼	29¼	29¼	
	Do preferred.....				63¾	
6006	Metropolitan.....	122	124¾	122	124¾	
700	Do Recentives....	51	53	52	52¾	
1000	Mexican Central..	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾	
900	Nashville Lead....	117	117	117	117	
	Do preferred.....	105¾	106¾	105¾	105¾	
	National Biscuit..	55	55	53¾	53¾	
	Do preferred.....	113	113	113	113	
500	N. Y. Central.....	147¾	147¾	146¾	147¼	
2400	N. Y., O. & W.....	35¾	35¾	35¾	35¾	
1705	Norfolk & West....	70¾	70¾	70¼	70¾	
300	North Am. Co.....	93	93	93	93	
500	Peoples Gas.....	104¾	105¾	104¾	105¾	
100	Pacific Mail.....	43¾	44	43¾	44	
902	Pressed St. Car....	40	40	39¾	39¾	
	Do preferred.....				89	
22900	Penn. R. R.....	142¾	143	142¾	142¾	
	Ry. Springs.....	34½	35	34½	35	
20200	Reading.....	136¾	137¾	136¾	137¾	
200	Do 1st preferred..	83½	83½	83½	83½	
1500	Rock Island.....	31¾	32¾	31¾	32¾	
1700	Republic Iron....	29¾	30¾	29¾	30¾	
	Do preferred.....	93¾	93¾	93¾	93¾	
11000	Southern Pacific..	67¾	68¾	67¾	68¼	
800	Southern Ry.....	32¾	33¾	32¾	33¾	
200	Do preferred.....	88¾	89	88¾	89	
2200	St. Paul.....	179¾	182¾	179¾	180¾	
100	St. L. & S. W.....	13	13	13	13	
200	Do preferred.....	32	32	32	32	
4300	Tenn. Coal & I....	87¾	87¾	86	86	
100	Texas & Pacific..	27¾	28¾	27¾	28¾	
2840	T. St. L. & W.....	27¾	28	27¾	28	
130	Do preferred.....	56¾	56¾	56¾	56¾	
2400	U. S. Steel.....	34¾	35	34¾	34¾	
4800	Do preferred.....	103¾	103	102¾	102¾	
	Do 2ds 10½ bds..	94¾	94¾	94¾	94¾	
2600	Union Pacific.....	125¾	126⅝	125¾	125¾	
1900	U. S. Rubber.....	47¾	49¾	47¾	49¾	
900	Do preferred.....	113	113¾	112¾	113¾	
	Central Leather...				29¾	
600	Do preferred.....				90	
	U. S. Cast I. Pipe	37¾	37¾	37¾	37¾	
	Do preferred.....	92¾	92¾	92¾	92¾	
	Wabash.....				19	
	Do preferred.....				39	
400	W. U. Telegraph..	92¾	92¾	92¾	92¾	
	Wheel. & L. E....				24½	
	Do 1st preferred				90	
	Do 2d preferred				70	
100	Wisconsin Central	23	23	23	23	
	Do preferred.....				51	
	West. Elec. 2s....	107	107	107	107	
6200	Northern Pacific..	207	208	204	204	
	Am. Woolen Co....	34	34¾	33¾	34	
	Do preferred.....	104	104	104	104	

INACTIVE LIST.

500	Am. Steel Fdy.....	39	39¼	39¼
100	Do preferred.....	93	93½	93½
400	Allis-Chalmers.....	10¾	10¾	10¾
100	Am. Hide & L.....	7	7	7
400	Do preferred.....	49¾	50	50¼
100	Am. Malt.....	3¾	3¾	3¾
4300	American Wool.....	30	30¼	30
400	Do preferred.....	87	87	87
400	Am. T. pfd., new..	97	97½	97
100	Chi. Pneu. Trac...	17	17	17
200	Do preferred.....	77	77	77
100	C. T. Portland....	28¾	28¾	28¾
200	Atl. Coast Line...	230	230	230
200	Den. & Rio Gr.....	32	32¼	32¼
100	Do preferred.....	87	87	87
	D., S. S. & Atl....	14¾	14¾	14¾
500	Federal M. & S....	102	102	102
200	Do preferred.....	97	97	97
200	K. C. & S. pfd.....	37	37	37

NEW YORK BOND MARKET.

Following is a record of sales on the New York stock exchange yesterday, reported over the private wires of Whitney, Stephenson & Co., Frick building:

(Sales in $1,000.)

50	Jamaica Wat....	112	112
140	do.....	112	112
20	do.....	112	112
5	do.....	112	112
10	do.....	112	112
10	do.....	112	112
10

FINE HOMES FOR SQUIRREL HILL

Dozen More Modern Houses Are Planned for Early Erection Near Shady Avenue.

WAREHOUSE FOR ALLEGHENY

By August 1 there will be under way in the Darlington road district of Squirrel Hill a dozen residences, most of which will cost from $18,000 to $22,000 each. The Pittsburgh Land Company has about completed arrangements for letting the contracts for six houses, which were designed by Architect C. W. Hodgdon. They will be built on lots 50x150 feet each, facing in Darlington road, near Shady avenue, and will cost $18,000 each. This lot will be followed by other similar projects later in the year, as the company expects to build 20 houses on its property before spring.

Henry A. Ross has also had plans prepared for two fine residences to be built on the same sized lots in Darlington road, near Shady avenue. They will contain 12 rooms each and will cost $22,000 apiece. Work will be started in a few days. James H. Thompson now has under way two 10-room brick houses in Darlington road, at the head of Denniston avenue. C. F. Dean, the insurance agent, has just started an $18,000 center-hall residence in Bartlett street, near Shady avenue, and Samuel Hubley of the Pittsburgh Dry Goods Company has a similar residence nearby under roof. All these houses will be within two squares of each other and will make a new neighborhood in one of the prettiest portions of the hill.

Allegheny Buyers Announced.

Kerr & Snodgrass, wholesale wall paper dealers, whose warehouse is now at 108 Third avenue, are the buyers of the property of the Church of New Jerusalem in Allegheny, the sale of which was published in The Gazette a weeks ago. It was then announced that title to the property would be taken by W. D. Wilson, the Allegheny broker, who handled the sale, and there has been much speculation as to who the real buyers were. The purchasers propose to build an eight-story brick warehouse on 50x88 feet facing in Isabella street, near the new B. & B. warehouse, which was a pioneer building of its kind in that locality. This will leave them the corner, 50x88 feet, at Isabella and Sandusky streets, vacant, and it is freely predicted that within a year they will be able to sell this corner for as much as they paid for the whole lot—$60,000.

The Brighton Park Land Company, which bought the old Walker tract in Davis avenue, Allegheny, a few weeks ago for $144,000, is getting ready to build ten houses on the property. Engineers are now laying out the four streets, each 60 feet wide, which will traverse the property, and a force of 50 men is grading off the shelf along Davis avenue. The houses will be ten-room, reception-hall brick dwellings on 50-foot lots, and most of them will be built in Termon and Davis avenues. They will cost from $8,000 to $10,000 each, and plans will be drawn at once so that they may be under way by September.

H. L. Kreusler has the contract for a $35,000 residence which Mrs. Anna R. D. Gillespie will build in Amberson avenue, near Westminster street. The residence was designed by Architects Vrydaugh & Wolfe, and will be one of the best houses erected in that part of the East End for a long time.

Lucky Deal in the Twenty-Third.

S. W. Vandersall made an exceptionally lucky turn when he sold the Jacob Hochberg property at the northwest corner of Second avenue and Ruthergien street, Twenty-third ward, to Charles A. Muehlbronner for $50,000, for the sale netted him $10,000 on an investment of only about a year. The property, however, is a good investment at the price paid, as there are 29 four-room brick houses on the lot, 38x140 feet, and these rent for about $4,000 a year, or 8 per cent on the price paid.

Through the Aronson Realty Company Abraham Friedland has bought from the J. G. Evans estate the properties at 2116-2118 Fifth avenue for $19,500, which is said to be a new high price for property in that square. The lot is 28x120 feet, going back to Ann street, and it is improved with two three-story brick houses which the buyer will probably remodel for store buildings at the expiration of the present leases.

James A. Griffith has sold for the Bernard Wolff, Jr. estate to three business men of the Hill Tops, seven lots facing 175 feet in Washington avenue and extending back along Beltzhoover avenue 135 feet to Manton alley, Thirty-first ward, for $35,000. There are three frame dwellings, all well rented, on the plot.

Brisk Activity in Building.

Yesterday was a banner day in building operations authorized, considering the time of year. Permits were issued in the two cities for buildings estimated to cost $217,050, among which were a number of important business structures. The list of Pittsburgh permits granted follows: Hartje Bros., two-story brick and steel fireproof store and office building, First avenue and Wood street, First ward, $100,000; George W. Dean, brick veneered dwelling, Bartlett street, Twenty-second ward, $8,000; C. P. Hill, brick and plaster dwelling, Dahlia street, Twentieth ward, $9,000; Howard N. Schneltz, brick dwelling, Salina street and Monitor street, Twenty-second ward, $5,000; Charles McKnight, five brick warehouses, Twenty-first street and Liberty avenue, Twelfth ward, $41,000; C. S. Bugher, brick veneered dwelling, East End avenue, Twenty-second ward, $3,500; L. C. and Lyda Doyle, brick and stone dwelling, Homewood avenue, Twenty-first ward, $3,500; Joseph Horne & Co., alterations and repairs to department store, Fifth street and Penn avenue, Fourth ward, $8,400; Knapp Bros., four brick dwellings, Brushton avenue, Thirty-seventh ward, $10,000; McClure & Green, frame dwelling, Hazelwood avenue, Twenty-third ward, $2,000; J. W. Sweney 2-story brick veneered dwelling and store, Franklin avenue, Twenty-first ward, $8,000; Jacob Wesoky, three brick dwellings, Shelby street, Eleventh ward, $2,500; John B. Hoag, brick hotel, 2703 Penn avenue, Twelfth ward, $8,000; John E. Sheffer, four brick veneered dwellings, Sunnyside street, Twenty-third ward, $4,600; Fred C. Hall, brick veneered dwelling, Emery avenue, Twenty-second ward, $2,000; John Loughridge, brick extension to store and dwelling, rear 1701 Franks-town avenue, Thirty-seventh ward, $4,000.

Building permits were issued in Allegheny yesterday as follows: To H. A. Kunze for a three-story brick office and apartment house 31-111 South Boulevard, to the trustees of the Holy Name Parochial school for a two-story brick addition in Hamilton avenue, to cost $3,700; to William Meyer for a one-story frame dwelling in Linside avenue, to cost $1,050; to A. L. Scott for a two-story brick veneer dwelling in Westminster street, to cost $5,000, and for a two-story brick garage in the rear of the dwelling in Margaret street to cost $1,000, and to David B. Oliver for a two-story brick apartment house in Bailey avenue, to cost $6,000.

Date for Oakmont Sale Fixed.

Saturday, July 29, has been named as the day for the opening sale of the allotment of the Oakmont Suburban Homes Company on Oakmont Heights. The plan K. Ewing Company has the exclusive selling agency for the plan, which is being graded and put in first-class shape for building. The property is near the Oakmont 18-hole golf links, which are considered as fine as any in the country, and only a short distance from the home of the Oakmont Boat club. Oakmont is coming to the front this summer as never before, and if the election on August 3 to vote on a bond issue of $45,000 for street improvements results favorably these lots should be excellent sellers.

Butler county: J. N. Kinney & Co. sold to J. N. Glass of Canonsburg 126 acres of land known as the Garvin farm in Cranberry township, Butler county, for $5,500. Along with the purchase is included a one-eighth royalty on a 300-barrel production.

South Side: Peter Elzer sold to Reinhold Buchardt an improved lot, 30x80 feet, in South Twelfth street, Twenty-ninth ward, for $9,000.

Fountain street: Charles H. Spryer sold to John H. Kane an improved lot, 22x100 feet, on the north side of Powhattan street, near Osceola street, Twentieth ward, for $8,350.

Lincoln avenue: Henry Astheimer sold to Elizabeth Thoma 31x140 feet on the south side of Lincoln avenue, Twenty-first ward, for $2,050.

Vine street: John Armenat sold to Fred Johannes 40x140 feet on the south side of Vine street, Twenty-seventh ward, for $2,400.

Arlington avenue: Alois Gilberhorn sold to Frank Miller an improved lot, 21x70 feet, on the north side of Arlington avenue, Twenty-seventh ward, for $1,600.

South Side: John S. Becker sold to August Rambroosky an improved lot, 20x60 feet, on the east side of South Twenty-fifth street, Twenty-fifth ward, for $2,900.

Transfers Recorded.

J. P. Steng to F. A. Opperman, July 15, Mifflin twp., 75x110, Haslett ave..... $ 2,000
C. A. Anderson to T. E. Johnston, June 22, N. Braddock, 30x165, Crosby ave..... 1,800
John S. Bell to M. E. Fleming, April 9, Bellevue, 2 lots, East's plan..... 1,000
L. C. Getzinger to H. S. Osborne, July 1, Chartiers twp., 50x100, Barr ave..... 4,300
M. H. West to M. A. Hasnaner, June 29, Homestead, 30x85, Sixteenth ave..... 1,700
Mary Dietrich to Wm. Oetting, July 12, 23d wd., Pgh., 25x145, Braddock ave..... 1,500
Barbara A. Darr to Jos. Darr, July 8, Tarentum, 25x114, Second ave..... 3,000
F. H. Stark to Corsopolis school dis., May 1, Coraopolis, 150x150, Sixth ave..... 1,800
H. W. Williamson to Louis Pieck, June 28, N. Fayette twp., 33x136, Panhandle railroad..... 10,00
W. H. Rowe to Emmet Queen, May 26, 20th wd., Pgh., 200x226, Ellsworth ave.. 61,000
M. J. Gallagher to E. G. Cordill, Aug. 6, N. Braddock, 24x105, Price ave..... 1,600
P. M. Sieger to J. D. Taylor, June 21, 31st wd., Pgh., 25x98, Allen ave..... 3,500
J. H. Fester to Jennie Short, June 7, 11th wd., Ally., 20x105, Stayton st..... 2,600
A. H. Slater to A. M. Chalfant, May 31, Sharpsburg, 40x80, unnamed st..... 1,300
Kath. Kelley to M. Tapolsky, June 22, 5th wd., Pgh., 22x100, Chatham st..... 10,000
Nettie B. Glenn to E. Marshall, July 15, Oakmont, 155x165, Ninth ave..... 3,200
Susanna Hetzel to R. H. Haley, July 19, O'Hara twp., 424x100, Ninth st..... 2,500
M. E. Blair to E. J. Ray, June 29, 3d wd., Ally., 20x100, Monterey st..... 5,510
Geo. Knipp to A. E. Schmidt, Jan. 12, 21st wd., Pgh., 20x70, Mt. Vernon st..... 2,400
M. Douglass to L. Lewis, June 28, 21st wd., Pgh., 28x150, Forest st..... 3,200
F. M. Kounts to Seth Thoerney, June 29, 21st wd., Pgh., 25x100, Susquehanna st.. 3,000
Thos. Herriott to Adam Schlarb, July 12, Sharpsburg, 50x90, Isabella st..... 1,250
A. M. Mueller to Anton Gerger, July 11, McKees Rocks, 24x100, Middle st..... 1,400
A. Gerger to J. Kaeppel, July 11, McKees Rocks, 24x100, Middle st..... 1,000
F. J. Kinney to N. Goldstein, July 12, E. Pgh., 80x111, Bessemer ave..... 1,200
Merchants Land Co. to S. C. Allison, July 7, 16th wd., Ally., 50x109, Richey ave.... 1,650
W. Hinnan to Frank Jones, June 27, 10th wd., Ally., 40x100, Marshall ave..... 2,500
D. S. Bissell to W. Hinnan, June 26, 10th wd., Ally., 40x100, Marshall ave..... 2,200
M. Vogel to D. Vogel, Jr., June 29, Sharpsburg, 17x70, Penn st..... 1,800
J. Sgwedechi to Macy Kensat, June 26, Glassport, 25x120, Delaware ave..... 1,100
A. J. Ohnhausen to N. Schertzinger, June 17, 29th wd., Pgh., 18x68, S. 11th st..... 2,000
Joseph Woods to Louis Free, May 29, 18th wd., Pgh., 20x160, Holmes st..... 3,500
P. C. Brooks to A. M. Whitesell, July 19, 22d wd., Pgh., 25x120, East End ave..... 1,010
H. A. Bliss to R. H. Singer, Nov. 19, Oakmont, 90x41, Railroad ave..... 1,000
W. T. Smith to Chas. A. Shaner, May 6, 18th wd., Pgh., 20x110, Steuben st..... 1,000
W. J. Griffin to F. P. Hedges, May 25, Esplen, 35x98, Brunot ave..... 4,500
G. M. Cypher Land Co. to A. W. Leonard, June 21, 9th wd., McKeesport, 6 lots, Orchard Grove plan..... 2,250
Same to P. A. Leonard, June 21, 9th wd., McKeesport, 2 lots, Orchard Grove plan 1,350

COKE SITUATION SHOWS GRATIFYING IMPROVEMENT

Production and Shipments Return to Nearly Normal Condition Although More Ovens Are Idle.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CONNELLSVILLE, July 20.—Coke production and shipments have returned to nearly their normal condition. Production gained slightly over the last full week, and the shipments were a little below those of two weeks ago. Over 500 ovens have been added to the idle list during the two weeks. Prices remain firm at $2 and $2.20 for furnace grade and $3.90 to $2.75 for foundry at ovens. There have been few if any attempts at price cutting.

A summary of the Connellsville region for the last week shows a total of 23,833 ovens, of which 20,205 are in operation. The week's production amounted to 248,792 tons, a gain of 15,983 tons over the previous week. The shipments aggregated 10,445 cars, distributed as follows: Pittsburgh and river points, 8,358 cars; points west of Pittsburgh, 8,270 cars; points east of Everson, 1,154 cars. The shipments aggregated 248,316 tons, an increase of 24,619 tons over the week previous, and being 1,524 tons in excess of the week's production.

The shipments from the Masontown field were 2,194 cars, as follows: Pittsburgh and river points, 262 cars; points west of Pittsburgh, 1,866 cars; points east of Everson, 125 cars. These shipments are estimated at 21,206 tons, an increase of 5,822 tons over last report.

Pig Iron Certificates Market.

NEW YORK, July 20.—(Special.)—The market for pig iron certificates was inactive but steady early in the session. First call, 11 a. m.:

	Regular.		Foundry.	
	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.
Cash	14.50	15.25	....	....
July	14.60	15.25	14.85	15.25
August	14.70	15.10	15.00	15.25
September	14.70	15.25	15.00	15.30
October	14.70	15.25	15.00	15.30
November	14.75	15.25	15.00	15.45
December	14.70	15.25	15.00	15.45
February	....	....	15.25	15.60

Demand was still fair for regular contracts late in the session, with offerings at slightly easier figures. Demand for foundry contracts not so spirited, with holders steady. Second call, 1 p. m.:

	Regular.		Foundry.	
	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.
Cash	14.75	....	....	....
July	14.75	....	14.90	15.25
August	14.75	15.00	14.85	15.15
September	14.75	15.10	14.95	15.25
October	14.75	15.25	14.90	15.25
November	14.75	....	15.00	15.60
December	14.75	15.50	15.00	15.50
February	....	....	15.25	15.75

Turpentine and Rosin.

WILMINGTON, N. C., July 20.—Spirits turpentine, nothing doing. Rosin firm. $2 bid. Tar firm, $2 bid. Crude turpentine firm, $2 50, $4 15, $4 40.

SAVANNAH, GA., July 20.—Turpentine dull, 59c. Rosin firm. Quote: A, B, C, $3 35; D, $3 45; E, $3 70; F, $3 82½; G, $3 87½; H, $3 95; I, $4 00; K, $4 05; M, $4 15; N, $4 30; W G, $4 60; W W, $4 85.

FLOUR AND SUGAR THE WEAKEST IN MARKET

Further Reductions Looked for in Both Lines—Green Goods Business Is Immense.

Sugar and flour are the weakest articles in the local market and both look like a further decline. Sugar has been dropping steadily for the past month and various reasons are advanced for it. The most popular belief, however, is that some person is getting squeezed out. Heavy losses have already resulted from the decline and still heavier ones are looked for. The flour situation is much the same and further reductions in price are looked for at any moment, despite the apparent strength of the speculative wheat market.

Grapes have made their appearance, the first of the season. They are from Delaware and are selling at $2 25 and $2 50 a crate. There is little else that is new in the green goods and fruit market, but what is in is of the best. Dealers report that Pittsburgh has not received its supplies in as nice shape for years as they are coming this season. Prices generally are breaking down, although demand is greatly on the increase and every day is a rush one now. Out-of-town shipments are extremely heavy, dealers in the smaller towns in the Pittsburgh district finding an abundant demand for produce of every kind.

HAY AND GRAIN.

Receipts of hay and grain yesterday were: Pennsylvania lines, 19 cars oats, 12 cars hay, 4 cars corn, 1 car straw; Baltimore & Ohio, 1 car hay, 2 cars oats, 1 car corn; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, 4 cars oats, 1 car corn.

There were no changes in quotations yesterday. Receipts were light and arrivals were readily picked up. Business continues good and the dealers are generally well satisfied with the outlook.

No. 1 timothy	$13.25@13.50
No. 2	$12.00@12.50
No. 1 clover	$10.25@10.75
No. 1 mixed	$10.25@10.75
Straw, oat	$4.75@5.00
do wheat	$5.75@6.50
No. 2 white	$12.00@12.50

White middlings, No. 1 ton	$19.75@20.00
No. 2 middlings	$17.75@18.25
do brown	$18.50@17.00
Bran, ton	$16.50@17.00
Wheat, No. 2 red, at mill	99@99c
Corn—Yellow shelled	62½@63c
High mixed	61@61c
Yellow ear	63½@64c

PROVISIONS.

Hams.	
18 lbs and up	11½c
Over 14 to 16 lbs	11½c
Over 14 to 14 lbs	11½c
10 lbs and under	12c
Skinned	12½c
Boneless boiled	13c
California	8½c
Shoulders, N. Y., cut	8½c
do skinned	9c
Ribs, 8 to 10 lbs	11½c
do 6 to 12 lbs	11½c
do back strips	12½c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs	12½c
do 10 to 12 lbs	11½c
Breakfast bacon.	
back strips	11½c
Dry salt sides, extra short clears	9½c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs	8½c
do 16 to 20 lbs	9c
do under 16 lbs	9c
Dry salt smoked sides, extra short clears	9½c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs	9½c
do 16 to 20 lbs	10c
do under 16 lbs	10c
Lard, pure, tierces	8½c

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live chickens	12@14c
do springers	18@20c
do roasters	14@16c
do turkeys	16@17c
do geese	10@12c
do ducks	14@15c
do pigeons, doz	$1.00@1.25
Dressed hens	17@18c
do springers	22@26c
do roasters	11@12c
do turkeys	22@22c
do Long Island ducklings	20c
do ducks	15@16c
do capon, lb	20@22c
Squab, doz	$2.75@4.00
Do. No. 2	$2.00@2.25
Ducks, ruddy	$1.75
do red head	$1.00@3.00
do canvas-back	$2.75@3.00
Impt. golden plover, doz	$5.50
do black plover	$4.50
English pheasants, per pair	$3.25
Reed birds, doz	$1.25
Snippers, per lb	60c
Pigeons, pair	20@30c
Frogs, doz	$2.25@2.50

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Receipts.

Butter	3,000 lbs
Eggs	3,000 doz
Cheese	1,000 lbs

Prints	25@26c
Tubs	23@25c
Ohio cream	23@24c
Dairy	14@16c
Cooking	9@11c
Cheese, N. Y. full crm. new	10½@11c
do Ohio crm	10@10½c
do ½ cream, new	9@9½c
Pientos	10½@11c
do Wis. Swiss, tubs	10@15c

JOBBERS' YARD PRICES.

Potatoes, car lots fancy, bbls	$1.50@1.65
do choice, bbls	$1.00@1.15
New cabbage, bbls	$1.15@1.25
Texas onions	70@75c
Tomatoes, Miss. and Texas	65@60c
Cantaloupes	$2.00@3.00
do Cal. stan	$4.50@4.75
do Com	$4.00@4.25
do Ind. bskts	60@65c
Watermelons, car	$175.00@225.00

GROCERIES.

Flour.	
Fancy spr. patent, quarters, in paper	$5.35@5.75
Fancy winter patent	$5.35@5.75
Rye	$4.60@4.70
Graham, 50-lb bags	$2.20@2.90
Cornmeal, bbl, 98 lbs	$2.00@2.25
Rolled oats, bbl	$4.25
do bags	$2.40
Roasted Coffee.	
Rio	13@17c
Santos	23@24c
Maracaibo	15@16c
Peaberry	18@18c
Golden Rio	17c
Caracas	20@20c
Standard, pkgs	13.65c
High grade	18@19c
Molasses, fancy, refined	35@35c
do choice	31@34c
do open ket	31@32c
do 2-lb	32c
do 5-lb	$1.25@1.30
Fancy syrup	25@30c
Maple sugar, gal	$1.00
Sug. and cane	24@25c
2-lb cans, doz	75c
2½-lb cans, doz	90c
5-lb cans, doz	$1.50
10-lb cans, doz	$1.40
Maple, gal	75@$1.50
Sugar, Ibs. gran	5.00c
do 5 bags	5.05c
do 2-lb cartons	5.50c
do 5-lb bags	5.55c
do pow'd xxxx	5.50c

Potatoes, fancy	$1.50@1.60
do choice	$1.15@1.25
Onions, Bermudas	90c@$1.00
do Texas silver skins	$1.25@1.35
do southern garlic	$1.00@1.25
do Spanish, crates	$1.65@1.75
Cabbage, new, bbls	$1.25@1.50
Green peppers, crates	$1.25@1.50
Parsley, doz	40@50c
Spring onions	10@12c
Green beans, bu	50@75c
Wax beans, bu	75c@$1.00
Mint, doz	50@75c
Celery, Kalamazoo	10@15c
do Ohio, large bunches	20@35c
do small bunches	10@15c
Summer squash, bu	50@75c
Lima beans, bu hampers	$1.25@1.50
Rhubarb, bu	12½@15c
Popcorn, lb	4@7c

PRODUCE.

Eggplant, crates	$1.75@2.00
Mushrooms, per lb	30@40c
Garlic, lb	10@12c
Watercress, doz	20@25c
Lettuce, field, doz	20@25c
Green peas, bu hamper	$1.00@1.25
Cauliflower, doz	$1.00@1.25
Watermelons	25@40c
Canteloupes, crates	$2.75@2.50
do baskets	60@75c
do Indiana	75@1.00
do Cal. stan	$4.50@5.00
Combination	$4.50@4.75
Carrots, doz	10@40c
Tomatoes, Miss. & Tex., crates	75@$1.00
do Wash	$1.00@1.75
do home raised, chips	$1.25@1.50
Radish, long red, doz	30@40c
do white, doz	30@35c
Cucumbers, Ashtabula chins No. 1	75@80c
do No. 2	50@60c
do southern, basket	$1.00@1.25
Corn, doz	10@15c
New beets, doz	30@35c

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta. pie	$1.00
do gle. gal	$2.00@2.00
do California, L. C	$1.80@2.25
Y. F	$1.90@2.25
Corn, fancy	$1.10@1.20
do stand	$1.00@1.05
Cherries, California	90c
White	$2.00@2.25
Lima beans	$1.25@1.45
do soaked	70@80c
String beans, 2-lb	85c
do 3-lb	90c
Stringless beans	$1.25@1.75
Peas, marrowfat	90@95c
do early June	75@80c
do soaked	70@75c
Plums, California	$1.40@1.65
Pineapples, sliced	$1.75@2.00
Apples, N. Y., gal. cans	$2.50@2.75
Pie apples	$1.75@2.00
Raspberries	95@90c

Goosberries	85@90c
Tomatoes, fancy	$1.15@1.20
do standard	75@80c
do gal	$2.25
Succotash, 1-lb cans	$1.10@1.25
Baked beans, cans, tomato sauce	75@85c
Salmon doz	80@$2.00
do red, 1-lb flats	80@$1.00
1-lb flats	$1.60@1.60
do pink, 1-lb talls	$1.30@2.35
Chipped beef	$2.25@2.75
Corned beef, 2-lb cans	$2.50@2.60
do 1-lb cans	$1.25@1.50
Mackerel, broiled	$1.90@2.50
Sardines, domestic, ½s	$3.10@3.25
do mustards, ½s	$3.60
do French	$6.50@18.00

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl	$16.00
do half bbl	$11.50
do quar. bbl	$8.00
Mackerel, No. 1 plain, bbl	$20.00
do half bbls	$12.50
do quar. bbls	$8.25
do 20-lb pails	$2.00
do 10-lb pails	$1.25
Mackerel, No. 2 large, bbl	$14.00
do half bbls	$8.00
do quar. bbls	$4.25
do 20-lb pails	$1.90
do 10-lb pails	$1.00
Lake herring, 100 lbs	$3.00
do 50-lb	$1.40
do 10-lb	35c

SEEDS.

Clover, from store, recleaned, 60-lb bu. small	$8.00@8.50
do mammoth	$8.25@8.50
do crimson	$3.50@7.00
do white, Dutch	$9.75@11.50
Alsike	$8.00@8.50
Alfalfa	$8.00@8.50
Millet, Western	$1.25@1.50
Southern	$1.50@2.00
Grass, Hungarian	$1.00@1.40
do lawn, 1b	16@20c
do blue, 14-lb bu	$2.25@3.00
do red top, 14-lb bu	$1.10@1.60
Timothy	$1.75@1.75

FRUITS.

New apples, bu	$1.25
do this	$2.00@3.50
Lemons, Messinas	$5.00@5.50
do Cal	$4.50@5.00
Oranges, late Valencias	$4.50@5.00
do St. Michaels	$4.00@4.50
Cocoanuts, bags	$3.25@3.50
do doz	40@50c
Bananas, large	$2.00@2.50
do 2ds	$1.00@1.50
Apricots, crt	$1.25@1.75
Pineapples, Florida	$1.75@4.50
Grapes, Del., crates	$2.00@2.50

Pears, large crates	$4.50@5.00
Limes, per 100	$1.25@1.75
Dates, stuffed	10c
Peaches, 6 bsk. crates	
Ga. & Texas	
Fancy	$1.90@2.75
Choice	$1.50@1.75
do Cal., per crate	$1.50@1.60
do Texas, 4 bskt. carriers	75@80c
Plums, Cal. red, crate	$1.25@1.50
do Tragedies	$1.50@1.75
do 32d. qtr	75@80c
do 16-lb Lakes	35@40c

SMALL FRUITS.	
Blackberries, qts	4@5c
Dewberries, crates	$2.25@3.00
Raspberries, red, qts	7@9c
do pints	4@5c
do black, fancy, qts	10@12c
Raspberries, choice	4@5c
Gooseberries, qts	4@5c
Huckleberries, pails	7@9c
do large bskt	$1.00@1.25
do small bskt	50@60c
Currants, qts	10@12c
Wild plums, 12 bskt crates	$1.00@1.25

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH UNION STOCK YARDS.

Thursday, July 20, 1905.

Cattle—Supply light; market steady. Prime, 1,400 to 1,500 lbs., $4 85@5 00; prime, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs., $4 60@4 85; good, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs., $4 25@4 60; fair, 1,000 to 1,100 lbs., $4 00@4 25; common, 700 to 900 lbs., $2 00@3 75; choice heifers, $4 00@4 25; common to fair, $3 00@3 90; good, fresh cows and springers, $35 00@45 00; common to fair, $15 00@30 00.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts light and market slow; prime wethers, 90 lbs. and over, $5 10@5 15; good mixed, 85 to 90 lbs., $4 75@4 90; fair mixed, 75 to 80 lbs., $4 25@4 50; culls and common, $2 50@3 50; spring lambs, $4 00@7 25; veal calves, $7 00@7 25; heavy and thin, $4 00@5 00.

Hogs—Receipts, 12 double decks, market 10c@15c lower; prime heavy hogs, $5 12½@5 20; medium, $5 20@5 25; heavy Yorkers, light Yorkers and pigs, $5 25@5 30; roughs, $4 75@5 15; stags, $2 50@4 00.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

KANSAS CITY, July 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 6,300 head, including 2,300 southerns. Market opened 10c higher, closed steady. Choice export and dressed beef steers, $5 00@5 10; fair to good, $4 75@5 00; western-fed steers, $4 75@4 90; stockers and feeders, $3 75@4 40; southern steers, $3 75@4 25; southern cows, $2 25@3 00; native cows, $2 50@4 10; native heifers, $2 75@4 25; bulls, $2 75@4 00; calves, $3 00@5 75. Hogs—Receipts, 4,700 head; market 10@15c lower; top price, $5 20; bulk of sales, $5 00@5 15; heavy, $5 10@5 20; mixed packers and lights, $5 12½@5 20; yorkers and pigs, $5 15@5 20. Sheep—Receipts, 1,500 head; market 10@15c lower; native lambs, $5 25@6 00; western lambs, $5 15@5 35; ewes and yearlings, $4 25@5 00; Texas clipped yearlings, $5 00@5 75; Texas clipped sheep, $4 25@5 00; stockers and feeders, $2 00@4 00.

CHICAGO, July 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,000 head, including 1,200 Texans. Market 10c lower. Good to prime steers, $5 25@5 65; poor to medium, $4 50@5 15; stockers and feeders, $2 75@4 25; cows, $2 00@4 90; heifers, $2 00@4 75; canners, $1 50@2 60; bulls, $2 25@4 25; calves, $3 00@6 50; Texas-fed steers, $4 00@4 90. Hogs—Receipts, 14,000 head. Market 5c lower. Mixed and butchers, $5 10@5 40; good to choice heavy, $5 25@5 40; rough heavy, $5 20@5 25; light, $5 20@5 35; bulk of sales, $5 25@5 35. Sheep—Receipts, 12,000 head. Sheep 10c lower; lambs, 15@20c off. Good to choice wethers, $4 90@5 15; fair to choice mixed, $4 75; native lambs, $5 00@7 50.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

NEW YORK, July 20.—Butter steady; receipts, 10,722; state dairy, common to extra, 19½@20c; western imitation creamery, 17@19c. Cheese firm and unchanged; receipts, 4,912 boxes. Eggs irregular and unchanged; receipts, 11,202 cases.

CHICAGO, July 20.—On the produce exchange today the butter market was steady. Creameries, 19½@20c; dairies, 19@19½c. Eggs, firm, at mark, cases included, 17@c; firsts, 17½c; prime firsts, 17c; extras, 18c. Cheese steady, 9½@10c.

PHILADELPHIA, July 20.—Butter firm; extra western creamery, 20½c; nearby prints, 21c. Eggs active; nearby fresh, 19½c; Pennsylvania fresh, 19½c, at mark; western fresh, 19½c. Cheese firm; New York full creams, fancy, 10½@10½c; fair to good, 9½@10c; domestic Swiss, 12@14c.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, July 20.—The market for coffee futures opened steady, with prices unchanged to 5 points lower, but soon lost a partial 5 points owing to the easier primary markets, continued talk of increasing receipts and scattering liquidation. The French market was steady, closing at an advance of 1@3¾ francs, but the market here showed little tendency to do better and closed steady and unchanged to 10 points lower. Sales were reported of 37,500 bags, including September at 6.75c; October at 6.80c; December at 7.05c; March at 7.20c, and May at 7.30c. Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice, 8c, mild quiet. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 3¾c; centrifugal 96 test, 4c; molasses sugar, 3¾c; refined steady.

FINANCIAL.

Buy Copper Buy Copper

COPPER

Amalgamated Copper will sell at 130—it may reach 150. This is my prediction. Don't stick a pin here. Buy the stock, and buy it now. Don't wait for it to touch top. Buy it now.

This prediction is made after a careful investigation of the intrinsic value and the market position of the stock. Amalgamated sold at 130 in 1901. There are more reasons in 1905 than in 1901 why it should sell at that price.

The Amalgamated Copper Company is operated under Standard Oil methods and policies. Whatever may be said of the Standard Oil people, it has never been denied that this group of financiers has been successful in their undertakings. They made Standard Oil, they made St. Paul and they made many other equally good securities. They have made Amalgamated Copper. Now they are going to give it a proper market value. That value is 130, maybe 150.

Inside financial interests have been accumulating the shares since their low point in October, 1903. The bear party of Wall street and Boston have used every pressure to keep the shares down. They are now 50 points above that low record.

Thousands of dollars have been spent in a bear campaign against Amalgamated since July, 1904. Within the year the price has advanced 60 per cent and the dividend has been increased from ½ of one to one per cent quarterly. Dividends talk.

Five years ago Amalgamated paid eight per cent. The conservative policy of reducing the dividend has placed the company in a strong position. The stock will be on a six per cent basis in a short time. Then the dividend will be increased again. If it is worth over 80 when it pays four per cent, it will be worth more than 120 on a six per cent basis.

The worth of a mining stock is judged by ore in sight. It is estimated that one-fifth of the Butte Mountain ore body has been mined. Statistics show that one-fifth was worth $700,000,000. Eighty per cent of the remainder belongs to Amalgamated. That would be worth at least $2,240,000,000, or $1,445.00 for each share of Amalgamated. Stupendous.

Amalgamated produced 240,000,000 pounds of copper last year. At double this output it would still be working in the Butte deposit 100 years from now.

One hundred mines and mining claims belong to the Amalgamated. Look at its timber and coal, its railroads and profits from by-products.

Look at Amalgamated when its output is compared with that of the world's greatest mines:

	Output in 1904.
Rio Tinto	75,000,000 lbs.
Mesabis	58,000,000 "
Calumet & Hecla	50,000,000 "
Consol. Copper Queen	48,000,000 "
Consol. Copper Mines	40,000,000 "
AMALGAMATED	254,000,000 "

At the present rate of output, Amalgamated will produce 290,000,000 pounds in 1905.

The copper metal market is strong. Better than 15 cents a pound will be received for this output. At 15 cents it would be worth $45,000,000.

It would take only $9,000,000 to pay a 6 per cent dividend on Amalgamated's $150,000,000 stock. This is only 20 per cent of the gross income from copper mined. In addition there are profits from by-products, timber, coal, etc.

Glance at some of Amalgamated's subsidiary companies: Boston & Montana, Anaconda, Parrot, Butte & Boston, Colorado Mining, etc.

Amalgamated owns the Boston & Montana and the Butte & Boston, 65 per cent of Anaconda, and 77 per cent of the Parrot.

In 1904 Montana produced $4,960,000 in gold, and $12,750,000 in silver. Butte Mountain produced 85 per cent of this gold and 95 per cent of the silver.

The Butte Mountain deposit is the richest and most easily worked in the world. The deepest ore is the richest. The worth of this deposit of copper ore is almost incredible.

These are facts—not fancies.

Amalgamated is worth more money. In the eighties it is out of its class. This will be better realized soon when it sells above 100.

The tape will soon record "ACP" above par, and it will keep going until 130 is reached; possibly it will touch 150.

I will carry
AMALGAMATED COPPER
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and

CENTRAL GAINING IN COAL TONNAGE

Bonds to Be Issued for Extending Operations and Lines in Beech Creek District.

B. & O. EARNINGS FOR 1904-5

Statistics of the bituminous coal tonnage show that the New York Central system is steadily gaining ground in its haul from the Pennsylvania field by way of the Beech Creek Extension railroad, which is a combination of several smaller roads in the Clearfield and Indiana county districts. The Beech Creek road's tonnage is now about one-third of the Pennsylvania railroad's tonnage. Last year it was only one-fourth. The New York Central system is developing into a new field that promises rich return in the Rauls to eastern and lake markets, and it is little wonder that the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh, Buffalo & Susquehanna, Pittsburgh, Shawmut & Northern and other roads are trabling their lines into the field. For the week ended July 8 the Beech Creek's bituminous tonnage was 135,200 tons, while the Pennsylvania's tonnage was 461,823 tons for the same week. For last week the Pennsylvania's tonnage was 615,317 and the Beech Creek's was over 150,000 tons. The Beech Creek tonnage for the year to July 1 was 4,604,153 tons, and the Pennsylvania's was 14,492,267 tons. The Pennsylvania's total coal and coke shipments for the lines east of Pittsburgh and Erie for the week ended with July 15 amounted to 905,239 tons.

The New York Central system will soon issue about $5,000,000 of the authorized issue of $20,000,000 in bonds, and this money will be used in the further development of coal lands and lines in the Beech Creek and Cherry Run districts in Clearfield and Indiana counties. The Vanderbilt interests expect thus to gain a still more strong foothold in the coal traffic from this rich coal region.

Coal Shipments from Lake Ports.

According to figures compiled by the bureau of statistics of the department of commerce and labor at Washington, the shipments of bituminous coal from all lake ports in May amounted to 1,282,114 tons, of which amount 1,161,145 tons were shipped from the ten principal ports of Lake Erie. For the first five months of this year the shipments amounted to 1,382,697 tons, with 1,596,021 tons going from the Lake Erie ports. The receipts of coal at the upper lake ports and in the northwest for May amounted to 1,656,982 tons, and for the first five months of the year 1,828,505 tons. The figures show the heavy tonnage for May, which was really the opening month of lake traffic.

The rail lines between the Pennsylvania and West Virginia coal fields and the lake ports are kept busy with long trains of cars of the bituminous product. While more cars could be used in some places, the supply generally equals the demand, and most of the roads are now receiving consignments of new cars from their 1905 orders to the car companies. The motive power is also in excellent shape. Engines are not allowed to rest longer than for the necessary repairs. The Pittsburgh & Lake Erie has 105 freight road engines, and these are in use day and night moving the heavy tonnage over the 190 miles of that road.

Panhandle Earnings Increase.

Increase in estimated earnings, expenses and net earnings of the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railway Company for June, 1905, and the six months ended June 30, 1905, as compared with the corresponding periods of 1904, as shown in a statement issued by Secretary S. B. Liggett, shows:

JUNE, 1905.	
Gross earnings	$220,393
Operating expenses	197,236
Net earnings	$ 23,157
JANUARY 1 TO JUNE 30, 1905.	
Gross earnings	$920,764
Operating expenses	766,434
Net earnings	$154,270

Competing With Electric Lines.

The Rock Island has determined to make an aggressive fight against interurban electric railways in Iowa and on next Sunday will put on 13 new trains, making an hourly service between Cedar Rapids and Iowa City from 6 o'clock a. m. until 11 o'clock p. m. on week days, with special excursions on Sundays. The interurban rates will also be met. The Rock Island will establish a similar service between Des Moines and Colfax. The service between a small engine, a combined smoker and baggage car and a coach. Gasoline motor cars may be used later. The Chicago & Alton and Illinois Central railroad have installed a similar service at certain points and report excellent results.

B. & O. Year's Record Is Good.

The earnings of the Baltimore & Ohio system, including the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern and other affiliated lines, show increases over last year, while the net earnings fall slightly below the earnings of 1903. For the 12 months of the fiscal year ended with June 30 in each case, the figures for the three years are:

	1905.	1904.	1903.
Gross earnings	$67,689,998	$65,071,581	$63,149,632
Operating exp.	44,710,604	43,628,864	39,562,964
Net earnings	$22,979,394	$21,442,217	$23,879,669

For the month of June the figures are, as compared with the same month last year: Gross earnings, $5,788,103, increase $386,205; operating expenses, $3,913,286, increase $86,691; net earnings, $1,854,801, decrease $8,583.

Says West Penn Is Competing Line.

That the West Penn is a parallel and competing line with the Pennsylvania, and thus cannot be leased, consolidated or controlled by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, is a point upon which such a trial is demanded by Mrs. Mary C. Darlington in excepting filed yesterday to the bond of $150,000 offered by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to cover about 25 acres of the Darlington 225-acre farm at Guyasuta, wanted for the Pennsylvania's improvements. It is also asserted that an indemnity bond for a railroad right-of-way through Guyasuta should be $1,400,000. Tibby Brothers' Glass Company also filed exceptions to the bond of $50,000 to cover part of their property adjoining Guyasuta. They claim the property value is $425,000, the damage to other property $25,000 and the value of water power $150,000, and ask that the bond be fixed at $0,300,000.

Local Firm Gets Contract.

The contracting firm of Thomas A. Shoemaker & Co., represented in Pittsburgh by E. P. H. Harrison, has been awarded a contract by the Baltimore & Ohio railroad for the reconstruction of a stretch of more than three miles of the main line on the Baltimore division between Hollonfelds and Alberton. This reconstruction is needed to eliminate heavy grades and curves. There will be two tunnels, one of which is to be 1,000 feet long and the other 500 feet; two bridges over the Petapsco river and about 275,000 cubic yards of grading in addition to the tunnelling. The new line will be entirely separate from the old one, excepting for a distance of about a half mile east of Alberton, where the old line will be reconstructed.

Railroad Notes.

W. M. Lampton, assistant general freight agent of the Denver & Rio Grande, was in Pittsburgh yesterday.

Ralph E. Lawrence, general agent of the Wabash system at Wheeling, was among the visitors in Pittsburgh.

A. B. Scott, baggage agent at the Pennsylvania's Allegheny station, is enjoying a vacation visit of two weeks at Blairsville.

The Union station at Louisville, which was destroyed by fire early this week, will be replaced by a handsome new structure.

Those interested in the New York Central lines' freight car repair pool, including the motive power department of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, will hold a meeting at Buffalo on July 27.

B. C. Stevenson, assistant general freight agent, and C. F. Wolf, traveling freight agent, both of the Clover Leaf Route, at Toledo, have spent the past two days here looking after traffic matters.

Scott Parmar, a veteran employe of the Panhandle, who has had a baggage run between Pittsburgh and Columbus for several years, was severely injured at the Union station by being run down by a loaded baggage truck.

Conductor J. H. Owston has been appointed acting assistant station master of the Pennsylvania system in Allegheny during the construction of the new station, and Brakeman L. F. Shuster has been appointed usher.

C. G. McCarthy, commercial freight agent of the western Gould lines in this territory, is conferring with the general officers at St. Louis.

Col. J. M. Bellenville, general freight agent of the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company, returned from Charlevoix, Mich., where the western classification committee is holding its meeting. The steel traffic men are expected home today.

The remains of Grover Hall, the popular Pennsylvania railroad passenger brakeman, who was drowned in Lake Couchiching, Ontario, by the capsizing of a canoe Wednesday, will arrive at his home in Swissvale this evening.

George W. Stevens, president of the Chesapeake & Ohio, and other officers have just completed an inspection of the system, and President Samuel Spencer and other Southern railways officials are now inspecting the Southern system.

Paul Grove, master mechanic of the Pennsylvania and State Line, has been appointed assistant master mechanic at Altoona, where he will have charge of work outside of Altoona shops, such as at East and South Altoona and along the middle division.

J. F. Schapericotter, who has been real estate agent of the Lehigh valley, has been appointed general solicitor. E. A. Albright has been appointed assistant to the president, and L. D. Smith has been elected assistant secretary and appointed chief clerk to the president.

A hearing was held yesterday before Judge Frazer in the suit of the Wabash Pittsburgh Terminal Railway Company against the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie Railroad Company over the right to build the Wabash line along Carson street east of Smithfield street. No decision was rendered.

The Philadelphia Company secured a preliminary injunction against the Wabash Pittsburgh Terminal Railway Company from interfering with the mains of the former company in the Carson street construction, or from building piers within two feet of the mains. The hearing will be held tomorrow.

General Manager W. W. Atterbury of the Pennsylvania railroad and General Superintendent R. L. O'Donnel of the Buffalo & Allegheny Valley division met in Pittsburgh yesterday morning, spent a couple of hours here conferring with local officers and then went north over the Valley in a special train for an inspection of the road.

$1.50 to Wheeling and Return Every Sunday Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

Tickets sold for regular train 7 a. m. and special train 8:40 a. m., good returning on regular trains 3:45 and 9:09 p. m. and special train 7:30 p. m.

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Grocery Dept., 3rd Floor.

Hosiery Remnants

Odd lots of Children's and Infants' Ribbed Cotton Lace and Cashmere Hose, black and colors, also some Infants' Sox; values up to 25c, for 5c

Misses' Black Cotton Hose, fine rib, seamless foot, lisle finish; good value at 12½c a pair, all sizes, 5 to 9½ 8⅓c

Misses' Fine Ribbed Tan Cotton Hose, superior finish, assorted shades, any size, 5 to 9 in., a pair 12½c

Women's Plain Black or Tan Cotton Hose, full seamless; also black drop stitch cotton; values up to 15c a pair 9c

Women's Black Lace Hose, with garter tops, with spliced heels and double soles; 19c stockings, a pair 12½c

Women's Imported Tan Gauze Lisle Hose, with double sole, high spliced heel and spliced seam; regular price 50c; to reduce quantity in stock, a pair 25c

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Clarke's O. N. T. Spool Cotton, all sizes, white or black, a spool 2½c

2 doz. Hump Hooks and Eyes
2 Gilt Headed Hat Pins
1 pair Tubular Shoe Laces
2 pieces Cotton Tape
2 Aluminum Thimbles
40 Jet headed Mourning Pins
1 Remnant of Elastic
1 Box Assorted Hair Pins
CHOICE 1c

Up to 50c Scissors and Shears, 3½ to 8 in. long, 2 big lots, choice 25c to 9c

15c Metal Back Dressing Combs, special Friday 5c

Remnants of Mill End Sale of Domestic Dept.

Mill Ends and Odd Pieces Prints, in light or dark colors, also Cotton Challie; value up to 7½c yd., Sale price 3¾c

Mill Ends of Dress Ginghams, in striped or checked styles, 2 to 10-yd. lengths; value up to 10c yd. Sale price 5c

Mill Ends of Percale, yard wide lengths of 3 to 10 yards, in light colors, all good choice styles, the 12½c kind. Sale price 8⅓c

Satsuma Pongee, in neat stripes or fringed styles, also Oxford Suitings, in eight colors; value up to 10c yd. Mill End Sale price 6¼c

FRIDAY THE LAST DAY OF OUR GREAT MILL END SALE

All remnants and odds and ends of this great sale must be sold Friday regardless of cost.

For the past week every floor of this big Co-Operative store has been crowded to its utmost. There still remains big lot of mill ends purchased from the various mills and factories by our buyers and must be sold Friday at any price. Store open at 8 A. M. Come early.

Our Motto "Your Money's Worth or Money Back"

UNDERWEAR REMNANTS

Misses' Ribbed Cotton Vests, low neck and sleeveless, taped neck and arms 4c

Women's and Misses' Ribbed Cotton Vests, low neck and sleeveless; regular value 10c to 12½c. Friday, each 6c

Women's Ribbed Cotton Vests, Swiss or Richelieu rib, some lace trimmed, low neck and sleeveless; regular price 12½c to 15c. Friday, each 9c

Misses' Swiss Ribbed Drawers, large size only, tight knee, were 25c. Also Misses' Umbrella Drawers, sizes 7 to 9, lace trimmed, value 19c, Friday 12½c

Remnants of Mill End Sale of Muslin Sheets and Bed Spreads

Mill Ends of Unbleached Muslin, good quality, 2 to 20-yd. lengths, while 2,000 yards last 2½c

Mill Ends of Unbleached Sheeting, yard wide, heavy quality, lengths of 1 yard up; regular values 8½c yard. Sale price 5c

Bleached Cambric Muslin, yard wide, fine quality, full piece, good value at 9c a yard. Mill End Sale price 6¾c

Mill Ends Bleached Sheeting, 2¼ yards wide, good heavy quality; regular value 27c; lengths of 10 to 40 yards. Sale price 20c

Bleached Hemmed Sheets, size 72x90, good quality, usually sold at 45c each. Mill End Sale price 29c

Bleached Hemmed Sheets, size 81x90, the linen finished kind, 50c values. Mill End Sale price 39c

Bleached Sheets, size 81x90, with 3-inch hem, extra quality; good values at Mill End Sale price 50c

White Crochet Bed Spreads, full size and with Marseilles patterns, hemmed ready for use; good value at $1.35. Mill End Sale price 98c

White Crocheted Bed Spreads, fringed all around, heavy quality, large size; regular value $1.75. Mill End Sale price $1.25

Remnants of Mill End Sale of Wash Goods and White Goods

Mill Ends and Short Lengths of Fancy Printed Batiste, light or dark colors; 7½c kind. Sale price 3¾c

Mill Ends of Fine Batiste and Lawns, plain colors, lengths of 1 to 10 yards; good value at 8⅓c yd. Sale price 3½c

Mill Ends White India Linon, fine sheer quality, 2 to 20 yards; value up to 10c yard. Sale price 5c

Fancy Dotted Swiss, three sizes dots, full pieces, value 10c a yd. Mill End Sale price 6½c

Mill Ends of White Lace Striped Lawn, P. K's, Striped Lappet, also 40-inch Plain White Lawn, value up to 20c a yard. Sale price 10c

Mill Ends White Madras, 32 to 36 inches wide, lengths 2 to 20 yards; value up to 25c yard. Sale price 12½c

All remnants and short lengths of Fine Persian Lawn, French Chifon, Organdie, French Lawns and Fine Oxford and Madras Waisting, to be closed out during our Mill End Sale at ..... ½ price

Mill End Silk Sale for Friday

Figured Taffeta Silk, in all colors, worth 75c, Friday for 39c

27-inch White Kabutai Wash Silk and 27-inch Black China Silk, 60c quality 39c

19-inch Black and Colored Taffeta Silk, worth 33c, Friday 19c

Carded Wash Silks, in blue-and-white and pink-and-white stripes, 30c quality 19c

Figured India and Pongee Silks, the 50c grade for only 29c

27-in. Black Taffeta Silk, guaranteed to wear; 85c quality for 59c

20-inch White China and 20-inch Black India Silk, worth 39c yard, for 19c

REMNANTS OF MILL END SALE OF LINENS

Bleached Hemmed Huck Towels, good heavy quality, size 18x36; regular value 12½c each. Mill End Sale price 7½c

Mill Ends of Table Damask, in bleached or turkey red; 2 to 5 yd. lengths, value up to 60c yard. Sale price 19c

Mill Ends of Table Damask, in bleached or unbleached, 62 to 70 in. wide, 2 to 5 yd. lengths; value up to 60c yard. Sale price 39c

Odd lots of Table Cloths, hemstitched, hemmed or fringed, all pure linen, 2½ yds. long; value up to $2.50 each. Mill End Sale price $1.49

White Swiss Linen, yard wide, fine heavy quality, good value at 40c a yard. Mill End Sale price 29c

Mill End Sale of Odds and Ends for Friday

Housefurnishing Department.

All our heavy galvanized 4-bushel Garbage Cans, value $2.50, for $1.25

Size smaller Garbage Cans, 3-bushel, value $1.98, for 98c

Galvanized Wash Boilers, Very heavy and hand made, value $1.50, for 75c

8-quart blue and white granite Sauce Pans or Kettles, value 75c, for 39c

Japanned Bread Boxes, large size, hand painted, value 75c, for 49c

Oil Cooking Stoves, with two large wicks, splendid cooker, value $1.25, for 59c

Large Bath Sponges at half price—20c and 25c values 10c

10-quart Granite Water Buckets, all first quality, value 50c, for 25c

Patent Wash Boards, made of heavy galvanized iron frame, value 50c, for 29c

Toilet Paper, 5c and 10c rolls, for, a roll 3c

All our Jelly Glasses, large or small, for the same price, each 1c

All the Picnic Plates, wooden, large size, dozen 3c

5,000 Tooth Picks 2½c

Bissell's Carpet Sweeper, warranted value $3.50 and $4.00 ..... $2.25

Odds and Ends of Our Mill End Sale

Five of the Most Extraordinary Seasonable Women's Wearables for Friday

1,800 SHIRTWAIST SUITS ON FRIDAY AT 98c.

These suits are beautifully tailored and elegantly trimmed, some with contrasting piping in light or dark effect, are absolutely correct as to fit and finish. There are about 20 different styles, and the materials are such as you find in suits that sell from $2.25 to $3.75. You will find them assorted on our tables Friday at 98c

1,500 WOMEN'S WALKING SKIRTS OF WASH MATERIALS AT 79c.

Of Russian duck, polka dots and white duck, the newest effects, some plaited and kilted, others box plaited, very nicely tailored; there is not a skirt in the lot that is worth less than $1.50, and some are even worth up to $2.25; your choice while they last Friday 79c

2,300 WOMEN'S $1.25 DRESSING SACQUES AND KIMONOS TO GO FRIDAY AT 39c

This exceptional offer is due to the fact that a large New York manufacturer had these sacques left on his hands; our buyer made him a spot cash offer, which resulted in the deal being consummated; namely 25c on the dollar. The lot consists of beautiful patterns of dimity lawns in all colors imaginable; the selection is complete; do not delay in getting here Friday and make your selection at 39c

3,000 WOMEN'S SHIRTWAISTS AT 19c.

These are not cheap, trashy waists, but the kind you ordinarily pay 98c for; made of sheer white and fancy lawns, nicely trimmed with lace, embroidery, insertion. We were very fortunate to obtain this lot, but the "Leader" being able to offer spot cash did the trick. On Friday from 9 to 12 at 19c

1,800 WOMEN'S SHIRTWAIST SUITS ON FRIDAY AT 98c.

These suits are beautifully tailored and elegantly trimmed, some with contrasting colored piping, in light or dark effects; are absolutely correct as to fit and finish. There are about 20 different styles and materials. Friday 98c

All Remnants and Odds and Ends of Laces, Embroideries, Neckwear and Ribbons

Left over from our Mill End Sale must be sold at any price.

5c Lace Remnants, a yard 3½c

10c Lace Remnants, a yard 4½c

19c Lace Remnants, a yard 9½c

10c and 12½c Lace Galloon Remnants, a yard 2c

5c and 8c Val. Lace Remnants, a yard 1½c

3½c Embroidery Remnants, a yard 1½c

10c odds and ends of Fine Embroidery Turn-Over Collars, each 5c

25c Embroidery Remnants, a yard 15c

35c and 40c Embroidery Remnants, a yard 23c

5c odds and ends of Embroidery Turn-Over Collars 2½c

10c, 12c and 15c Embroidery Remnants, a yard 7½c

15c Lace Work Ruching Remnants, each 10c

15c Silk Ribbon Remnants, each 5c

10c Silk Ruching Remnants, each 5c

Remnants of Mill Ends in Muslin Underwear

We have searched our entire department and stock room to pick out any article that has been slightly soiled. We found in the lot children's and infants' white dresses, hats, bonnets and underwear; also women's skirts, gowns, chemise, drawers and corset covers. On Friday we will place the entire lot on tables in our muslin underwear department and you may select any article and pay just half the marked price.

Women's Fine Cambric Drawers, in umbrella styles, some trimmed with hemstitched tucks, lace and embroidery, worth 50c. Mill End Sale price 24c

Women's Percale Skirts, neatly finished flounce, in stripes only, worth 50c. Mill End Sale price 33c

Women's Cambric Skirt Chemise, full length and width, neatly finished with linen, lace and ribbons, worth 98c. Mill End Sale price 49c

Women's extra quality Cambric Drawers, beautiful trimmings of embroideries, laces and insertions, you will find lots of extra sizes in this lot up to size 34 waistband, value 98c. Mill End Sale price 48c

Women's and Children's Sun Bonnets, in stripes or check gingham, some neatly finished with embroidery ruffle on gingham, worth 29c. Mill End Sale price 17c

Women's Cambric Gowns, neatly trimmed with hemstitched tucks, embroidery or lace, in high or low neck effects, worth 95c. Mill End Sale price 45c

Women's full length and width Cambric Skirts, neatly finished with tucks and deep lace and embroidery, value 98c. Mill End Sale price 49c

Remnants of Mill End Sale of Lace Curtains and Drapery

White Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3 yards long, 60 inches wide, Bonne Femme styles, requires only one for each window; regular values $1.25. Mill End Sale price 59c

White Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3½ yards long and 54 inches wide, plain or figured centers, regular value up to $2.50 a pair. Mill End Sale price $1.19

Tapestry Couch Covers, 3 yards long, heavy fringe all around, in striped Oriental designs, regular values $1.50 each. Mill End Sale price 98c

Mill Seconds of Curtain Swiss, yard wide, only slightly imperfect, regular value 10c a yard. Mill End Sale price 6¾c

Mill Ends of Silkoline Drapery, good line of colors, regular values 12½c yard. Sale price 7½c

Remnants of Mill End Sale From Millinery Department

Flowers

Violets, Roses and Snowballs, value 15c and 19c 5c

Roses, Violets, Foliage and other effects, value 25c and 29c 10c

Forget-me-nots, Roses, Buds and Bluets, value 35c and 48c 15c

Handsome Wreaths, and other flower effects, worth up to $1.25, at 25c

Ready-to-wear Hats, a large assortment to select from, value as high as $2.50, for 98c

Shirtwaist Hats, trimmed with wings and fancy feathers, value $3.50 ..... $1.48

Fancy Straw Hats, hand-made, on wire frames, stylishly trimmed, value $4.50, for $1.98

All our trimmed hats marked down, regardless of cost.

HATS TRIMMED FREE.

Odds and Ends in Shoes

Men's $1.50 White Canvas Outing Shoes, for 98c

Men's $2.00 Vici Kid Lace Shoes, for $1.39

Men's $3 Patent Colt Hand Sewed Lace and Button Shoes $1.95

Children's and Misses' Patent Lace Shoes, sizes 11½ to 2, 69c; 8 to 11, 59c; 6 to 8 ..... 49c

Ladies' $1.50 Patent Tip Hand Turned Juliettes, for 98c

Ladies' $2.00 Tan Vici Hand Turned and Welted Sole Oxfords, this and ends for $1.39

Appetizing Things to Eat

We have an extensive line of appetizing things at our market, gathered from the pure food markets of the world. Our prices will astonish you.

Yorkshire Gherkins, full pint bottle, per bottle 12½c

Yorkshire Mixed Gherkins, full pint bottle, per bottle 12½c

Yorkshire Chow-Chow, full pint bottle, per bottle 12½c

Yorkshire famous Onions, full pint bottle, per bottle 15c

Wein Serf Stone Pots, per bottle 15c

Wein Serf Prosit Mugs, delicious, per mug 18c

Salad Dressing, ½ pint, per bottle, 15c; large bottle 15c

Old Virginia Honey, large size 25c

Old California Honey 10c

Red Currant, Crab Apple, Red Raspberry Jelly, pure fruit and sugar, only 25c

5 pounds Sugar 28c

Fountain Brand Creamery, nothing better at any price, Friday 22c

Fancy Ohio Full Cream Cheese, per lb 12c

Imported Swellmer, per lb 30c

Domestic Swellmer, per lb 20c

Mothers' Oats, 3 packages 25c

Fine Large Mealy Potatoes, per bushel 60c

Your last chance to buy Terra Soap at 7 bars for 10c